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# STATE STRUCK BY ICE, SNOW

## Demos Take Congress Helm

### State Of Union Review Awaited

Rayburn Stresses Harmony, But He Indignantly Recalls Charges By GOP Orators In '54 Campaign

WASHINGTON (AP)—The 84th Congress opened Wednesday under Democratic control, with its new leaders saying they will try to do business rather than battle with President Eisenhower and the Republicans.

As Rep. Sam Rayburn of Texas put it, in a two-edged speech upon taking over again as speaker of the House:

"Just because another party holds the executive branch of government, that does not mean we are going to look on legislation from a partisan standpoint."

Then, with this bow to harmony, Rayburn indignantly recalled charges by some GOP orators in the 1954 campaign. He said that Democrats "are not an accusing kind of people" who charge others with subversion and being "soft on Communism."

While Democrats cheered, Rayburn declared:

"We're not going to indict people en masse. No Democrat is going to talk like that without being frowned upon, or repudiated, by me."

Look Ahead To 1956

Practical politicians to the last man, the senators and representatives were fully aware of the political prizes at stake in the 1956 presidential year, and the effect their actions will have.

The very first bill officially introduced in the 84th Congress Wednesday could cause a real ruckus.

Offered by Rep. Cooper (D-Tenn.), it would extend the reciprocal Trade Act another three years and give the President authority to cut tariffs by 5 per cent a year. Eisenhower asked just that of the 83rd Congress, but didn't get it after some leading GOP members balked.

Democrats talked, too, of a thorough airing of their charges that the Eisenhower power program leans to the "vested interest." They made ready an investigation of the administration's security risk program, denounced by Sen. Johnston (D-SC) as "a numbers racket that misleads more than it informs."

One-Man Hearings Out

Sen. McClellan (D-Ark.), due to succeed Sen. McCarthy (R-Wis) as the Senate's No. 1 investigator, said he would abolish one-man hearings. The 47-man staff of the House Un-American Activities Committee is in for a shake-up, Rep. Walter (R-Pa.) announced.

Ninety-three of the Senate's 96 members and 427 of the House membership of 435 gathered Wednesday to open what the Senate chaplain, the Rev. Frederick Brown Harris, described in the opening prayer as "a new volume of destiny in our nation's history."

"Keep before us ever the undimmed goal of a better world cleansed of its want, its fetters and its agony," Chaplain Harris prayed. "May we be counted by the future as among the builders of a redeemed earth radiant with brotherhood."

Sen. Lyndon Johnson of Texas, the Democrat who succeeds Republican William Knowland of California as the majority leader, told the Senate there would be no bills introduced there until after Eisenhower delivers the State of the Union message Thursday to a joint session of the Senate and House.

Pay Hike High On List

However, there was no bar to offering of new legislation in the House. One of the first proposed bills, by Rep. Celler (D-NY), would raise the pay of members of Congress to \$25,000 a year from \$15,000.

Another early offering would provide a college education to children of men killed in World War II or Korea. That was advanced by Rep. Teague (D-Tex.).

Sen. Potter (R-Mich.) announced he would soon introduce legislation to eliminate federal excise taxes on automobiles and trucks, and to raise the minimum wage to \$1 an hour from 75 cents.

The auto-truck taxes are among the excise taxes that are due to go down in April, along with corporation taxes. Eisenhower has said he wants these taxes continued. Sen. Byrd (D-Va.), who will be chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, has come out against any tax reduction, but some other influential Democrats plan to try again.

Spring Lilli Ann Show  
Robert Terrell, factory rep., for Lilli Ann Suits & Coats will be at Magee's Thurs. with a trunk show of spring lines. Magee's 3rd Fl.—Adv.

for an income tax reduction for individuals.

Many Problems

Other major problems, expected to be discussed by Eisenhower in more or less detail today in his State of the Union message, include military manpower, national defense in general, the flexible farm price supports, housing and highway construction. There are a host of others to be taken up one at a time.

Rayburn was the only leader who made any extensive remarks Wednesday. After his election as speaker to succeed Republican Joseph Martin of Massachusetts, by a roll call vote of 266-198, he was sworn in by Rep. Vinson (D-Ga.).

## 4 Airmen Lost After Collision

... B47 Air Mishap

LAKE CHARLES, La. (AP)—A B47 Stratofortress bomber plunged into the Gulf of Mexico Wednesday night after a mid-air collision with another of the six-jet planes during a routine training flight. Four men were missing.

Capt. George Spotswood, public information officer at Lake Charles Air Force Base, said an unidentified ship reported seeing wreckage 30 miles offshore, but no sign of survivors.

He said the report did not indicate whether the ship was a passing vessel or one of the Coast Guard craft taking part in the search for the missing men.

The observer on the B47 which limped back to the base bailed out over the gulf and the missing plane carried a three-man crew.

## Holmes School Addition Plans Authorized

The Board of Education has approved preliminary plans and authorized drafting of final drawings for the estimated \$400,000 addition to Holmes School.

This addition, boosting Holmes to a complete four-unit, 26 classroom school, is a part of the proposed \$10 million bond issue. Should the bond issue fail at the Feb. 8 special election, the project would be cancelled at this time.

Also approved by the Board was the \$1,800 bid of Chambers Construction Co. for relocation of a city water main in Randolph from 22nd to 23rd. Randolph will be closed in this section during the construction period.

The existing line is under what will be the site for the new Lincoln High School all-purpose building.

## Valentine Man Killed; Struck Changing Tire

Lincoln Star Special

CROOKSTON, Neb.—Pfc. Harlan Porath, 24, of Valentine was killed Wednesday while changing a tire near here, the State Safety Patrol reported.

The accident occurred one and a half miles east of Crookston on Highway 20.

An investigating officer said Porath was in back of a parked car changing a tire when he was struck by a car driven by Lt. Roger Little Jr., 25, also of Valentine.

The death brought Nebraska's 1955 road fatality total to five.

(Another story on highway deaths appears on Page 13.)

Rubber Footwear  
First quality rubbers and over-shoes for the whole family. Wells & Frost, 1134 "O."—Adv.



## Truer Words Were Never Spoken

Take it from the sign, downtown stores really had a January clearance Wednesday—a clearance of heavy snow as the

first good fall of the season blanketed the city with the white stuff. Coming through the snow on his tractor as he cleans off

the sidewalk at 13th and O is M. A. Purbough of 5600 M. (Staff Photo by Frank O'Neill.)

## Marie 'The Body' McDonald 'Sick' Of Millionaire Hubby

... Re-Marriage Plans Canceled

HOLLYWOOD (INS)—Actress Marie (The Body) McDonald said Wednesday that she changed her mind about re-marrying shoe manufacturer Harry Karl because he literally makes her sick.

The actress, who revealed that she was cancelling her plan to remarry her multi-millionaire ex-husband, said their temperaments clashed so much that she had developed an emotional allergy to him.

She explained: "When I'm with Harry, I get sick. When I'm away from him, I never get sick that's the real reason for the break-up of our marriage and for our mutual decision not to re-wed as we had planned."

Miss McDonald, 30, was released only a few days ago from a hospital after she suffered what was called nervous exhaustion and pneumonia. She was stricken as she was preparing to go to Las Vegas, Nev., to remarry Karl.

'Worst Attack'  
She blamed her preparations for the wedding for the attack, declaring:

"Just the nervous tension of preparing for the intended ceremony brought on the worst attack I have had in two years."

"Doctor after doctor has told me that my illnesses have been caused by the conflict of temperaments between Harry and myself. I'm highly strung and a fast-moving person. Harry is slow moving. We simply tear at each other."

Miss McDonald said she has made airplane reservations for herself and her two children to fly to New York Thursday night but doesn't know whether she will make the trip. She said:

May Stay

"I want to talk to Harry about the children. I personally would rather live in New York, but it is possible that I may stay here. If I do, I'd like a small house in the San Fernando Valley where the children could lead a normal life and would be able to see their father."

Miss McDonald and Karl were divorced in Nevada last Nov. 22 and she won custody of the adopted



Marie McDonald

children, Denise, 5, and Harrison, 4.

They reconciled later in New York and tried to get married again in Paris, but official red tape prevented it. She said then that Karl offered her a wedding gift of \$1 million, but Karl's friends denied that he had made such a promise.

## Budget Proposal Made By Crosby

Gov. Crosby Wednesday made his budget recommendations to the 1955 Legislature.

The two-year budget calls for an expenditure of at least \$194,000,000, with between \$39 and \$40 million going to the University of Nebraska and between \$55 and \$56 million for the Highway Department.

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## N.Y. Stock Climb Is Reversed

Share Turnover Biggest Since June, '50

NEW YORK (AP)—The bull market in stocks tumbled Wednesday under a massive wave of selling that knocked some prices down around 5%.

What caused the break? Undoubtedly that question was asked across the nation Wednesday night by the constantly increasing number of Americans now "in the market."

Was it the action of the Federal Reserve Board Tuesday night hiking the amount of cash an investor must put up when buying securities on margin?

Unquestionably that was the immediate psychological factor. However, some brokers were doubtful that the margin boost would have much effect on prices in the long run.

Long Overdue

There is almost unanimous opinion in Wall Street that the market has been long overdue for a good-sized correction, having gone up steadily for nearly 16 months.

"It would be in the best interests of investors if the market would sell off about 10 per cent right now," commented a leading market analyst.

The wave of sell orders flashing in from brokerage houses all over the country mounted so quickly that the ticker ran as much as 15 minutes late in reporting transactions. Volume for the day totaled 4,640,000 shares, the biggest turnover since June 27, 1950, when the Korean War started.

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## Today's Chuckle

"Why do you think you are fitted for a diplomatic career?" the examiner asked.

"Well, I've been married for 20 years and my wife still thinks I have a sick friend."

## Cars Snarled; Kids And Farmers Happy

—Lincoln Gets 5-Inch Snow Layer—

### ... 8 Inches At McCook Highest Reported

Nebraska's first widespread snowstorm left angry motorists, happy farmers and up to eight inches of snow.

And the outlook is for colder weather so kids with sleds can enjoy the snow for a day or two.

The predicted highs for Thursday are 30 to 35 degrees in the east and south and 40 degrees northwest.

To those who don't sled, or farm, this news is not nearly so enjoyable.

All But North

The snowstorm, which started in the western part of the state late Tuesday night, moved eastward during the day and blanketed all but the northern border by mid-afternoon.

Lincoln, after receiving .35 inches of moisture in the form of rain (accompanied by highly unseasonable thunder), found the city weather picture turning to snow just before noon. By the time it had virtually stopped, the snow totaled 5 inches — on top of a quarter-inch of ice.

Police reported 37 traffic accidents locally Wednesday, mostly minor and only one involving an injury. Earl Brennan Jr., 5, was taken to St. Elizabeth Hospital for treatment of a cut on the forehead after a two-car collision at 9th and J. The child's mother, Mrs. Earl Brennan of Rt. 1, was driving one of the cars.

All flights into and out of Lincoln Air Force Base, commercial and military, were cancelled Wednesday. The field was closed because of the heavy ice on the runways and will not be open until sometime Thursday morning.

Air Force crews were busy as soon as the snow halted, shoveling the snow so they could get to work on the ice below.

Bus lines and railroads serving Lincoln reported that they were experiencing no interruption of service due to the storm.

In Lincoln, the school buses taking the children home were sent to the schools early and the children riding them were dismissed at 3 p.m. rather than the regular time.

Farmers, particularly in the Panhandle, received some benefit from the storm, K. E. Logan of Federal Agricultural Estimates office in Lincoln said.

"They still need a lot more moisture—it's been a long time since they've had any," he emphasized.

The rest of the state, he said, could use the moisture but also pointed out that the cold rain before the storm was hard on livestock out in the open. The snow will provide good cover against the colder temperatures which will probably follow, he said.

The North Platte weather station reported that the snow there was through but that 6 inches was already on the ground.

There appeared to be no immediate danger of drifting, but most stations reported that an increase in the wind could cause serious trouble.

Icy conditions and poor visibility were blamed for a number of bent fenders and frayed tempers.

The Safety Patrol was cautioning all drivers to be extremely careful and advised staying off the highways unless travel was absolutely necessary.

Chains Essential

State Highway Department Maintenance Engineer John McMeekin seconded the motion to stay off the roads and added that anyone who felt he had to drive should do so only after putting chains on.

"All the highways in the state except those along the northern border are very dangerous," he said.

Lincoln Cathedral High School, scheduled to play in the state Catholic high school basketball tournament at Hastings, was forced to miss its Wednesday night game because of highway conditions.

McCook received the highest reported snowfall in the state—8 inches. Scottsbluff and Alliance came in a close second with 7 inches each. Grand Island and Hastings counted 4.

The powder-dry southwest was favored with 5 to 8 inches of snow. The fall had ended by late Wednesday.

Trailer Homes  
in today's Want Ads, Classification 24.—Adv.

nesday afternoon. Imperial, in the center of the area, reported slight drifting at the time of the storm but reported the wind had died down and the drifting stopped leaving 5 inches of snow.

Robert Schick, of McCook, Red Willow County extension agent, said that the snow "will help this part of the state a lot. Most of the wheat is now in pretty good shape. This will help keep the topsoil down and prevent the dust storms we've been having."

To show how welcome the moisture was, he pointed out that it

### Snowfall Depths

Alliance	7	Lincoln	5
Auburn	1	McCook	8
Ashland	4	North Platte	6
Fairbury	1	Omaha	1
Grand Island	4	Wahoo	3
Hastings	4	Wilber	3

was the first precipitation of any consequence since the 15th of September.

At Wahoo the storm also ended during the afternoon, leaving 2 inches on the ground. Ashland received 4 inches of snow and had the added hazard of glare-ice underneath.

By late Wednesday afternoon the storm ended in most areas with St. Paul reporting the sun peeking through.

The ice, caused by a freezing

rain before the snow, appeared to be limited to the southeastern portion of the state and extended no farther west than York and Aurora.

The ice, in some places collecting to one-half inch, delayed long-distance service to several towns, and completely disrupted direct service to others.

Phones Hindered

A. B. Gorman of the Lincoln Telephone and Telegraph Co., reported a total of 32 long-distance circuits out. Direct circuits were out from Lincoln to Hebron, Superior, Fairbury, Topeka and Marysville, Kan.

The damage to phone lines, he said, was in the triangle formed by a line south to Beatrice from Lincoln and southwest from here through Geneva to Superior.

The company expected further trouble from the icy lines during the night, he said, because the heavy ice coating remained on the lines during the day and any wind placed a heavy strain on them.

The snow did not reach the extreme southeastern portion until Wednesday afternoon. Auburn reported that 1.1 inches of rain had fallen before the snow began. The rain did not freeze, but soaked into the ground.

## Sales Tax Advocates Are Hopeful

Sales tax advocates predict that they will have the best chance in years to have such a measure passed by the present Legislature.

In past sessions it has failed to jump the last hurdle, approval by the Revenue Committee. Attempts to override the committee action always failed.

This year for the first time in many years the committee is headed by a chairman not from Omaha, Sen. Monroe Bixler of Harrison. There are but two Omaha members of the committee as contrasted with the usual three.

Douglas County legislators have been leading opponents of sales tax legislation. This does not mean that a sales tax bill will rapidly come forth from the committee as most members insist that they want to see what is proposed before making up their minds on what action they take and how they will vote.

It is believed that if a sales tax bill is introduced as is expected the Legislature will be able to consider it on its merits rather than have the pressure that has been applied in past sessions by groups wanting the revenue earmarked for special purposes.

### Legislative Calendar

Wednesday, Jan. 5, Second Day  
Convened 10:04 a.m.  
Introduced L.B. 1-13.  
Introduced Resolution No. 1.  
Received deposits for 23rd District election contest.  
Heard Gov. Robert Crosby's budget message.  
Received standing committee assignments.  
Received 11:55 a.m. to 2 p.m.  
Organized committees.  
Introduced L.B. 14-28.  
Received 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.  
Adjourned 3:37 p.m. to 10 a.m. Thursday.  
Committee Hearings  
Revenue: L.B. 14, 15, Jan. 11.

### The Weather

NEBRASKA: Thursday, partly cloudy, not quite as cold northwest, colder Thursday night. High 40 northwest to 30-35 east and south. Friday, partly cloudy, little temperature change.

Lincoln Temperatures			
1:30 a.m.	32	2:30 p.m.	29
2:30 a.m.	32	3:30 p.m.	29
3:30 a.m.	32	4:30 p.m.	29
4:30 a.m.	32	5:30 p.m.	29
5:30 a.m.	32	6:30 p.m.	29
6:30 a.m.	32	7:30 p.m.	29
7:30 a.m.	31	8:30 p.m.	29
8:30 a.m.	31	9:30 p.m.	29
9:30 a.m.	31	10:30 a.m.	29
10:30 a.m.	31	11:30 a.m.	29
11:30 a.m.	29	12:30 p.m.	27
12:30 p.m.	29	1:30 a.m.	27
1:30 p.m.	29	2:30 a.m.	27
High temperature one year ago 45; low 17.			

Sun rises 7:51 a.m.; sets 5:15 p.m.  
Moon rises 3:25 a.m.; sets 6:03 p.m.  
Normal January precipitation .82 of an inch.

Total January precipitation to date .29 of an inch.  
Total 1955 precipitation to date .29 of an inch.

Nebraska Temperatures			
H	L	H	L
Lincoln	31	29	25
Lincoln aip.	31	29	25
Cincinnati	55	30	26
Indianapolis	42	33	28
St. Louis	42	33	28
Memphis	38	34	28
Mississippi	38	34	28
St. Paul	38	34	28
Des Moines	38	34	28
Mobile	38	34	28
Fargo	38	34	28
Kansas City	38	34	28
Mpls.-St. Paul	38	34	28

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## Recount Of Ballots Set In Contest

Clerks Will Begin Tally Work Friday

Recount of the ballots cast for state senator in Saline and Fillmore counties will start Friday at 9 a.m. The election of Sen. Mervin D. Bedford by nine votes is being contested by former Sen. C. C. Lillibridge of Crete, who sought re-election.

The committee on credentials met with attorneys for both men and then went into executive session and decided upon procedures. "We feel a recount may disclose sufficient error to change the result," Attorney John Mekota said in behalf of Lillibridge.

Attorney Thomas Keenan, Geneva, appearing for Sen. Bedford told the committee, "Sen. Bedford is satisfied. We don't want a re-

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count. We expect to raise questions on why some votes should not be counted."

Count In Lincoln

Both attorneys sought to have the recount held in the counties where the votes were cast, but the committee voted to hold it in Lincoln and provided for notification of the two county clerks to bring in the ballots.

It was decided to employ four or more clerks to do the actual work of counting the nearly 8,000 ballots under the supervision of committee members.

The two candidates will be permitted to watch the canvass together with an attorney or other representative.

The committee endeavored in every way to insure that the canvass would be conducted fairly and rights of all be protected.

A representative of the attorney general will be on hand to give rulings on any legal questions that might develop.

Will Be Hurried

Sen. Bedford is seated as a member pending the outcome of the canvass of the votes. Members of the committee told the attorneys that they were determined to expedite proceedings in every way and that counting might continue Saturday and Sunday and even nights if necessary.

In case Dr. Lillibridge wins the contest, costs will be borne by the state, but if he loses, he will have to pay the contest costs.

Members of the committee are Sens. McHenry, chairman; Fenske, Diers, Larkin and Tom Adams.

2 Pc Suits, Dresses \$7.95  
Summers Maternity, 1207 M.—Adv.



# Ike Backs Cuts For Services

350,000-Man  
Slash Okayed  
By President

WASHINGTON (INS)—President Eisenhower formally endorsed an order to cut down the size of the armed forces Wednesday and declared: "We can never be defeated so long as our relative superiority in productive capacity is sustained."

At the same time, in a letter to Defense Secretary Charles E. Wilson, the President gave figures indicating that the planned military cutbacks may have gone somewhat further than he directed.

Mr. Eisenhower gave first priority to air power, which is to be allowed to increase while the Army and Navy are being trimmed. He said the "first objective" must be to stop an enemy attack "by combination of effective retaliatory power and a continental defense system of steadily increasing effectiveness."

## 'Priority'

The President added that "these two tasks logically demand priority in our planning" and "will assume that our industrial capacity can continue throughout a war to produce the gigantic amounts of equipment and supplies required."

Mr. Eisenhower said he suggested a 350,000-man reduction to armed forces "of the order of 2,850,000" men by June 30, 1956. The Pentagon's manpower program calls for a reduction to 2,815,000 men under arms by mid-1956.

The President's letter said his figure was merely "a goal," and that "it would not be wise at this time to fix rigid targets for 1956." The statement thus indicated that the administration may not reduce its armed forces as much as initially contemplated.

## Cuts Condemned

The presidential letter was written as the new 84th Congress convened under Democratic control. Leading Senate and House military experts have condemned the proposed cuts as too severe.

However, Mr. Eisenhower's remarks, in effect, rejected protests of Gen. Matthew Ridgway, Army chief of staff, against the reduction of the armed forces.

Ridgway recently was reported to have carried his protest to the White House.

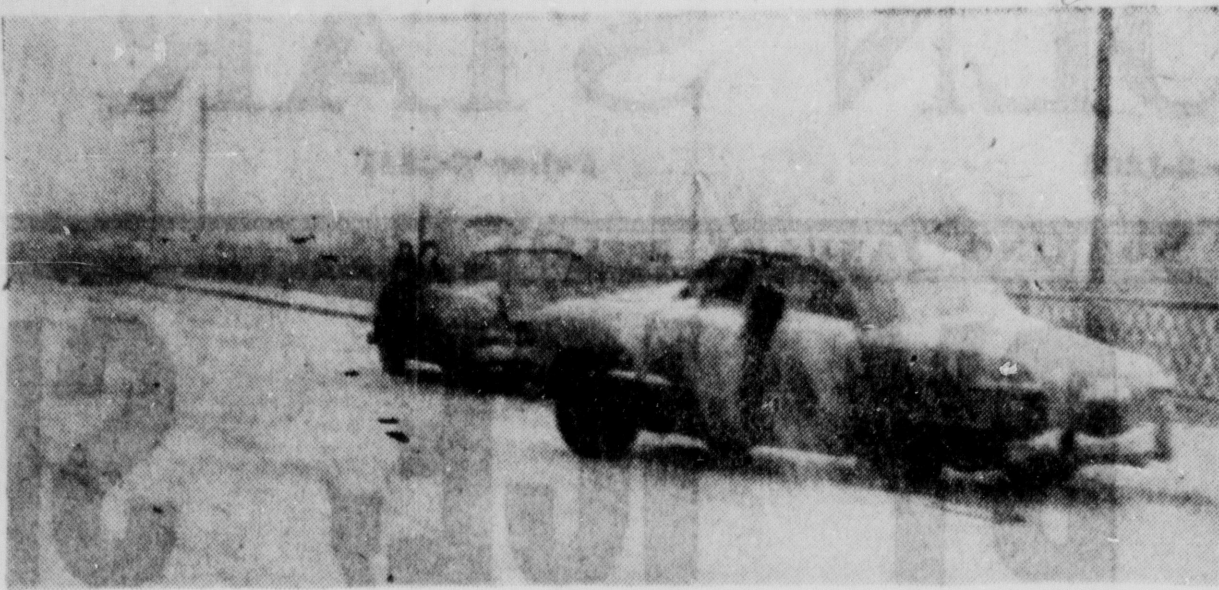
The President said: "As a goal, I suggest a strength of the order of 2,850,000 — with any further material reductions dependent upon an improved world situation. To reach such figures without injuring our combat strength will require continuing close scrutiny of all defense elements, with particular emphasis on administrative overhead."

## Herman Hotchkiss Dies At Age 84

Herman Charles (Bill) Hotchkiss, 84, of 3017 So. 12th, a resident of Lincoln for 30 years, died Wednesday.

Born at Lyons, he was a construction worker.

Surviving are his wife, Edith; stepdaughter, Mrs. Versal Caton of Los Angeles, Calif., and a niece and nephew of Los Angeles.



Traffic Stalls On Viaduct

It wasn't that there was too much traffic—just too much snow. These cars were forced

to halt on the West O St. viaduct Wednesday afternoon when the snowfall cut visibility and

slowed street traffic. (Star Photo.)

## Psychologist, 44, Is Committed To Mental Hospital

OMAHA (P)—Dr. Claude E. Thompson, 44-year-old psychologist Wednesday was committed to the State Mental Hospital in Lincoln by the Douglas County Board of Health.

The board acted on the recommendation of Dr. C. H. Farrell whose report said in part:

"He should be found mentally ill by virtue of chronic alcoholism with marked paranoid trends."

Dr. Thompson, former University of Omaha professor, was indicted in September for assault with intent to do bodily harm. The indictment grew out of a knifing.

The mental examination was requested by Thompson's wife who reported "noticeable change in behavior over a period of four years."

She said that about a year ago she awakened one night to find her husband holding a gun over her. He fired a shot into a table near the bed, she added.

## Geneva Man Dies On 85th Birthday

William E. Fiegenbaum, a retired Geneva jewelry store owner, died at a local hospital on his 85th birthday, Wednesday.

He was a member of the Geneva Methodist Church, the Masonic Lodge and Chamber of Commerce. Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. L. F. Klien of Lincoln; a son, William E. Fiegenbaum Jr. of Geneva; and five grandchildren.

## Local Dairy Spokesman Says Benson Left Out Milk Problem '4th Approach'

W. J. Grant, Omaha, assistant manager of the Iowa-Nebraska Non-stock Milk Producers Association has disagreed with Agriculture Secretary Benson's definition of means for stabilizing national milk supplies.

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# News Around The Globe

## Failure Predicted

NEW YORK (INS)—Rep. Emanuel Celler (D-N.Y.) predicted that U.N. Secretary Dag Hammarskjöld would fail in his bid to win release of captive American Airmen in Red China.

Celler, speaking on the Mutual network's "Facts Forum" radio program, added, however, that the Airmen would be released at a later date, when the Red Chinese find it "convenient" for them to do so.

## Prisoners Attack

WILLIAMSBURG, Ky. (P)—A husky farmer, charged with severely beating his two sons, was under a physician's care after he was attacked by a dozen prisoners in the jail here.

Esco Proffitt, 42, was cut badly on the face and suffered a deep gash over one ear. Another prisoner broke his finger during the melee.

## Politics Banned

WASHINGTON (P)—Defense Secretary Wilson smilingly told the incoming and outgoing chairmen of the Senate Armed Services Committee that he did not want them playing politics with his new military program.

Wilson made the remark at the start of a meeting in his Pentagon office with Sens. Saltonstall (R-Mass) and Russell (D-Ga.).

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## Test Case Seen

WASHINGTON (INS)—A possible "test case" developed on how far a defiant witness can go in using the Fifth Amendment to avoid answering questions about Communist activities.

Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy (R-Wis.) told newsmen that the Senate government operations committee voted to bring one phase of the issue to a head by recommending a contempt citation against a Buffalo, N.Y., defense worker. He said the witness was Miss Diantha Hoag, 46, a coil winder for the Westinghouse Electric Co., who testified at a closed hearing of his investigation subcommittee last Aug. 6.

## Politics Blasted

WASHINGTON (P)—Oregon's new Democratic senator, Richard M. Neuberger, called Wednesday night for an end to "character assassination" in American political campaigning.

Neuberger shared a speaker's platform with Vice President Nixon, who has been accused by Democrats of unfair tactics in the 1954 campaign, and freshman Sen. Clifford Case (R-N.J.) at the annual congressional dinner of the Women's National Press Club.

## 'Act Of War'

PEARL HARBOR (P)—Adm. Arthur W. Radford arrived from Tokyo on the last lap of his Far East tour and told reporters any blockade of Red China would be an act of war and not a thing to be treated lightly.

The chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff was asked if a blockade might force Communist China to free 11 captured U.S. Airmen who have been jailed as "spies." "It's a matter for the President to determine if he wants to go that far," Radford said.

## Air Collision

BIG SPRINGS, Tex. (P)—Two jet training planes collided 20,000 feet in the air 15 miles southeast of here but the four occupants parachuted and suffered only scratches and bruises.

Not so lucky was 2nd Lt. James W. Leaton an hour and a half later. His propeller-type trainer stalled as he attempted a landing, fell and burst into flames. He was rescued but suffered severe burns, a fractured ankle and cuts. All planes were from Webb Air Force Base, a training center here.

## Congratulations Pour In On Adenauer; He's 79

BONN, Germany (P)—Chancellor Konrad Adenauer turned 79 Wednesday, straight-backed as ever and looking ahead to further work at West Germany's helm.

There was a public reception at his chancellery on the Rhine, a private party with his seven children in his modest home and, in between, a bit of business — a conference with a French diplomat that arranged for talks between Adenauer and Premier Pierre Mendes-France in Baden Baden at the end of next week.



Adenauer

Congratulations of Adenauer's countrymen and the Western world poured in on the austere old statesman. Among them was a message of "warm congratulations and good wishes" from British Prime Minister Churchill, who celebrated his 80th birthday last Nov. 30.

The chancellor, dressed in cut-away and striped trousers, stood for three hours to shake hands with a long line of diplomats and top personalities of German public life at the chancellery. A widower, he was flanked by his four sons and three daughters.

Ordinarily of grim appearance, he laughed heartily when Agriculture Minister Heinrich Lübke handed him a bottle of milk from a selection of gift dairy products. Adenauer is a moderate wine drinker.

Thursday the Chancellor, who ordinarily puts in a brisk 12 hours a day, gets back to work with a series of conferences with leaders of his four-party coalition to map strategy for speeding parliamentary ratification of the Paris

accords for West German rearmament in the Western defense lineup. These problems and the Saar presumably will be topics in his coming conference with Mendes-France.

The chancellor leaves Saturday for the Buehler Höhe, a Black Forest resort near Baden Baden, for a two-week vacation, which will be interrupted for the talks with Mendes-France.

Mendes-France is expected to travel straight from a three-day visit to Rome to the conference with Adenauer. His Italian visit ends Jan. 13.

## Northern Natural Opponents Bid Fails Before FPC

WASHINGTON (P)—A Federal Power Commission examiner Wednesday turned down a request that Northern Natural Gas Co. be directed to show that its proposed Canadian supplier, Trans-Canada Pipe Lines, Ltd., had an unlimited Canadian permit to export gas.

The request was made by Jerome McGrath, attorney for the National Coal Assn. and several railroads.

Examiner Francis Hall ruled that Northern could go ahead with presentation of its case. Northern, an Omaha firm, has proposed a \$5 million dollar expansion program for this year. This would include importing 100 million cubic feet of gas daily from Canada, providing additional gas for its 307 present customers and offering gas to 66 new towns in Nebraska, Kansas, Iowa, South Dakota, Minnesota, North Dakota and Wisconsin.

Some of Northern's largest customers—including Central Gas and Electric of Lincoln—are opposing its plan to expand and import foreign fuel.

## Motion Awards Former Speakers A Fancy Title

It was proposed Wednesday that a new title be created for a select group of members of the Legislature. A resolution was introduced that would confer the title "speaker emeritus" on all former speakers who continued to serve in the Legislature after having been so honored.

The title would be used on all rosters and stationery used by the former speakers. Under the rules no action could be taken until the resolution laid over at least one day.

Immediate recipients of the title, if the resolution is passed, would be former speakers Charles Tyndik, Omaha, and Earl J. Lee, Fremont, both of whom are serving in the Legislature.

## Dallas Johnson Named Super Of Ponca Park

Dallas Johnson, operation manager for the State Game Commission's district office at Bassett, has been appointed superintendent of Ponca State Park, the commission announced Wednesday.

Johnson fills a vacancy created by the death of Paul Heil, who had been assigned to the park for 10 years.

Johnson formerly was a maintenance crew foreman and caretaker at the Hayes Center Recreation Grounds. His successor at the Bassett post has not been named.

## Sewer, Water Project Bids Total \$115,626

Bids have been received at the City Hall for construction of a large storm sewer in Cotner Blvd. and a water line for the Woods-shire area at a combined total cost of \$115,626.

The storm sewer will run in Cotner from Sumner to A; in 48th from Cotner to A, and in Sumner from Cotner to 45th. Low bidder on this project was Dobson and Robinson Construction Co. with a figure of \$66,649.

The sewer project was estimated at \$82,000. This new line is a continuation of the \$81,000 South to Sumner job in Cotner and will eventually be extended from South to Antelope Creek and on the north end from A to Crestdale.

Low bidder on the water feed main, from the A Street pumping station to 24th and Washington, was H. R. Bookstrom Construction Co. with a figure of \$48,977. The estimate was \$50,000.

This line will connect to a main constructed last year from 24th and Washington into the Woods-shire area. This area will be shifted when the line is completed from the low to the high pressure system and pressures increased 30 pounds.

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# U.N. Chief And Red China Leader Meet In Peiping

## ... Talks Set On Release Of Yanks

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y. — U. N. Secretary General Dag Hammarskjöld will begin face-to-face talks Thursday afternoon, Peiping time, with Red China's Chou En-lai about the release of 11 Americans airmen jailed as spies.

Hammarskjöld ended a journey halfway around the world at 1:45 p.m. Peiping time Wednesday and within a short period had met the Red Chinese Premier and foreign minister socially for the first time.

The U. N. received here a short message from Hammarskjöld's party giving the time of arrival and indicating that the secretary general will get down to business in a formal meeting with Chou Thursday.

**Full Authority**  
Hammarskjöld flew to Peiping on his own initiative after the U. N. assembly approved 47-5 a resolution calling on him to use the full authority of his office in "unremitting efforts" to obtain the release of the 11 airmen and all other U. N. personnel still held by the Red Chinese from the Korean War.

Red China has called the 11 Americans espionage agents and on Thanksgiving Day announced they had been sentenced to prison.

The secretary general departed for Peiping with the blessings of U. S. Delegate Henry Cabot Lodge Jr., who is known here to have expressed full confidence in the secretary general on this mission. It was reported the United States put no restrictions on Hammarskjöld beyond those contained in the Assembly resolution directing him to seek the release of the men.

**Prisoner Talk**  
Hammarskjöld has said he will confine his talks to the prisoners and has no authority to discuss U. N.

Chou did not meet Hammarskjöld at the airport in Peiping. U. N. officials intimated this was in accord with Hammarskjöld's wishes that he be given a quiet reception in Peiping and that he be allowed to begin his talks as

## Jennie Higgins Rites Set Friday

Funeral service for Jennie M. Higgins, 2100 South, will be at 10 a.m. Friday at St. Mary's, the Rev. Gordon H. Schroeder officiating. Graveside services will be held at the Prairie Union Cemetery near Shubert.

Born in Richardson County, she had been a resident of Nebraska all her life.

She served in the Nurses Corps during World War I and was a member of the American Legion. Miss Higgins was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Surviving are sisters, Cora E. Higgins and Alice M. Haskins, both of Lincoln; Mrs. Grace N. Hewett of Oak Park, Ill.; and Blanche Higgins of Webster Groves, Mo.; brother, J. C. Higgins of Lincoln; and three nephews.

## Mark Sears Dies; Came From Clarks

Mark P. Sears, 2310 Park, died Wednesday night at a local hospital at the age of 69.

He was a retired office manager and former cashier of the then First National Bank of Clarks, Neb. Mr. Sears had lived in Lincoln since 1926.

He was a member of the First Plymouth Congregational Church, the Masonic Lodge, and was active in the Boy Scouts and other boys work.

Survivors include his wife, Alma; a son, Ralph W. Sears of Monteville, Ala.; a sister, Mrs. Margaret Woods of Central City, Neb.; and two grandchildren.



Team Surveying Wesleyan Program

Pictured with Chancellor A. Leland Forrest are members of the national Methodist Board of Education survey team currently conducting a study of the Nebraska Wesleyan University academic and administrative pro-

gram. Left to right are: Dr. Richard N. Bender, Nashville, Tenn.; Dr. Myron F. Wicke, Nashville, Tenn.; Dr. Forrest; Dr. James F. Blair, Nashville, Tenn.; Dr. Robert B. Kamm, Des Moines, Ia.; and Dr. William C. Finch, Georgetown, Tex. The survey team is on the Wesleyan campus at the request of the administration and the board of trustees, to prepare a careful analysis of strengths and weaknesses in the school's program as a guide for the long-range development program.

## Here In Lincoln

**Roper & Sons Mortuary.—Adv.**

**First Jury Jan. 31** — Call of the first jury for Lancaster District Court in the 1955 term of court has been tentatively set for Monday, Jan. 31. A general docket call will be held next Monday in Courtroom No. 1. Assignment Judge Paul White said prospective jurors will be drawn from the 1955-56 list.

**Wadlow's Mortuary.—Adv.**

**Talk On One-Way Streets**—Emmett Junge, director of safety for the City of Lincoln, will be the guest speaker at the Knife and Fork Club Thursday noon at the Continental Restaurant. His subject will be on "Lincoln's One-Way Streets."

**Roberts Mortuary.—Adv.**

**Air Base Progress** — Major J. Pierce Hereford will speak before the Sertoma Club Thursday at the Chamber of Commerce. His subject will be "Progress on Base Development." Major Hereford is the Commanding Officer of the Operations Squadron of the 818th Air Base Group in Lincoln.

**Hodgman-Splain Mortuary.—Adv.**

**Seed Certification Topic** — Warren Sals, manager of the Seed Foundation, department of agronomy, University of Nebraska, will speak at the Lincoln Lions Club Thursday on "Seed Certification in Nebraska."

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**To Tell Tax Changes** — Attorney Robert Van Pelt will discuss "Some Changes Made by the 1954 Income Tax Law" when he addresses the Optimist Club meeting Thursday noon at the Cornhusker.

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**Bankruptcy Petition**—Clyde Dunham of 140 So. 26th, laborer, has filed in Federal Court a petition in voluntary bankruptcy listing liabilities of \$1,067.62 and assets of \$150, claimed exempt. Unsecured claims listed for nine creditors total \$494.62.

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## Four Years Away

BONN, Germany (AP)—Bonn military planners calculated that a fighting-fit West German army is still at least four years away. They estimated West Germany's projected contribution to the North Atlantic Treaty Organization's armed forces will be ready for combat about the end of 1958.

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## James O. Hudson Dies In Virginia

James O. Hudson Jr. of Richmond, Va., formerly of Lincoln, died suddenly in Richmond of a heart attack.

Surviving are his son, Travers Daniel Hudson; his former wife, Mrs. Helen C. Hudson, both of 3782 Garfield; mother, Mrs. M. D. Hudson of Culpeper, Va.; two sisters, Mrs. Flora Reams of Culpeper, Va., and Mrs. Alice Hill of Richmond, Va.

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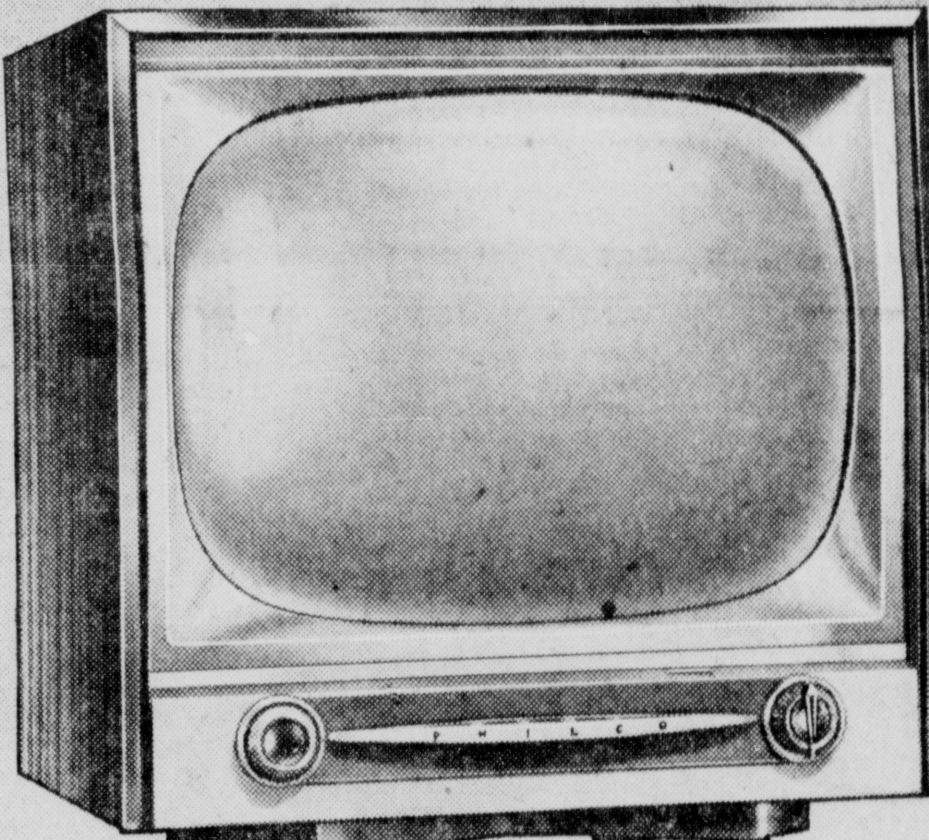
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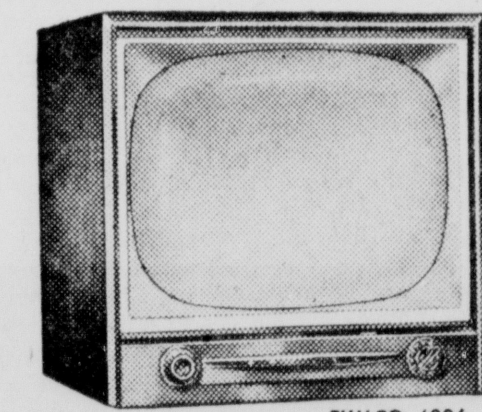


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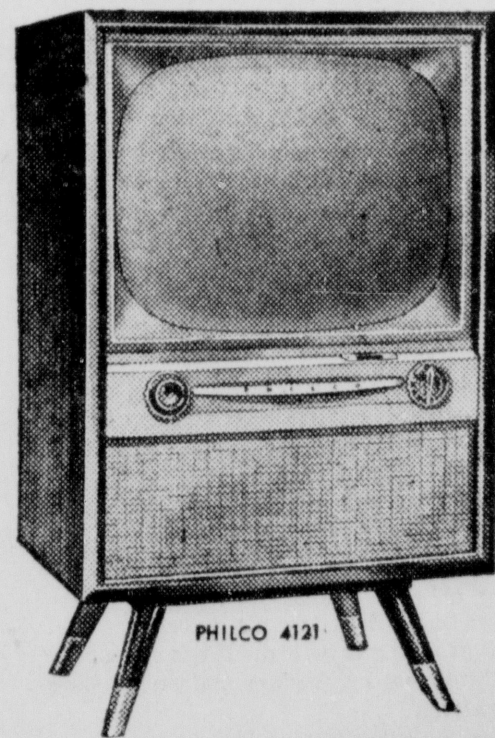
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## Applying The Brakes

To what extent speculative fever has contributed to the recent spectacular advance of stocks listed on the New York Stock Exchange is not clear. The Federal Reserve Board considered a booming, roaring market of sufficient importance to apply the brakes by increasing margin requirements from 50 to 60 per cent.

For a long time, it appeared, many choice stocks, solid, proved securities fortified by established dividend earnings, were underpriced. No great harm is likely to come from the Federal

Reserve Board's action to adopt caution, although from the president of the New York Stock Exchange came an immediate protest that the reserve board was inhibiting "the proper function of the market and the free interplay of the law of supply and demand."

The board was following the course of prudence and caution. Obviously near the close of the year the continuing rise in the prices of listed stocks posed the threat of getting out of hand.

## Eyes Of Experience

We are sure that no Nebraska governor has taken his oath of office without a fervent, unuttered prayer that his public service would contribute to honest, economical government.

That was Bob Crosby's single thought when he was inaugurated two years ago and now in retiring to private life, it continues to shape his thinking. But retiring Gov. Crosby has learned a great deal during those two years in office—the mark of any intelligent, capable public servant—and he has learned it as all of us must learn it—the hard way, possibly at the price of heartache and disappointments.

It is one thing to talk about economy on any political level—municipal, county, state, or federal—and it is another thing to achieve it in the face of the broadened horizons of the American people insistently demanding more and more by way of services and standards from government.

How do you go about it to cut governmental costs? There is only one way to accomplish it that we know about, and that is to spend less—to spend less in the face of constant, insistent demands from every segment of the population for more spending—to spend less despite the cry for higher salaries, for new agencies, for new activities, for new innovations, for things ad-

## Of Men And Things

By J. E. LAWRENCE

It comes as somewhat of a shock when able, conscientious and objective Columnist Marquis Childs suggests that in present-day thinking, agriculture's income is not accorded the high rating it formerly received in computing the stability of America's economy.

In discussing the rosy outlook for the early months of 1955, Mr. Childs noted that farm income had dropped off last year and might be less for the new year upon which we have entered. The steady, uninterrupted drift in population from rural to urban areas now entering its fourth decade is a matter of common knowledge. There are fewer family-sized farms, fewer people on the farms, fewer hands needed to till the soil in this machine age than in the years of farm distress in the early 'thirties. We have become a towering, gigantic industrial nation in terms of production and employment, possibly the industrial democracy which the late President Calvin Coolidge once described in a magazine article as an industrial democracy, with all the implications that those words of his carried. But here in Nebraska regardless of the national trend, population drifts and all other factors, we still think of ourselves as basically dependent upon agriculture. What happens to in the rise or ebb of its prosperity is our first concern. Fully half of the years of political struggle in America have revolved around the confusing issue of a fair, just slice of the national income for the farmer.

### No Real Conflict Apparent

The rural population may dwindle. The size of the individual farm unit may increase. The methods and the practices may undergo great change. But the facts remain that an important, a vitally important segment of Americans is engaged in the task of providing the food which graces the tables of the nation, enables all people to enjoy a standard of living no other world area possesses, and at the same time represents the largest single outlet or market for the products produced in the factories. Farm income may not be the factor in national economy it once was, a role so picturesquely described by the late W. J. Bryan but the existence of a flourishing, prosperous agriculture is no less important today than it was at any single given time when the conditions confronting the individual farmer produced what we call a farm rebellion.

It was not difficult a few years ago for all of us to accept the conclusion that one of the chief forces contributing to stagnation and depression was agriculture's plight. It was facing ruin. Farms were being lost not because the great majority of individual farmers were careless, incompetent, poor managers, but because the whole industry itself, well handled or poorly handled, was sick. Unless the new Congress which took over Tuesday in the national capital retraces the steps of its predecessor, we are entering a new era in these opening days of 1955, an era necessarily somewhat uncertain and certain to remain so until there is additional real evidence of the results of the shift from rigid to flexible price supports demonstrating beyond any question the actual results of this change.

This is a big, a strong, a confident country, gay at heart, decent and good. Its purposes at times may appear to be contradictory. Actually there is no misinterpreting of America's purposes. They can be spelled out in the simple words that back of the heart throbs of the American people is the single desire for common good. What we shall be concerned with at all times is the common good. It is not a tug-of-war every day of the year between urban and rural, industry and agriculture, or a continuing battle between other groups. We belong to each other and we must have each other.

### Junk Mail Ends

The Post Office Department's experiment with junk mail has come to an end. It has announced that its third class householder mailing privilege will stop March 31.

Probably no other postal innovation was so uniformly poorly received. Senders who were lured by the one and a half cent rate loaded the postoffices with mailings and were disappointed by the poor returns. Householders were annoyed by unwanted material that jammed their mailboxes.

### Domestic Stability

Mixed in with the summaries of 1954 are some comforting developments—one of them the continued decline in the national divorce rate.

In 1946 America hit a record year in broken marriages. Divorces affected 4.3 couples out of every 1,000. So serious it was that the nation gave it urgent concern.

Since then the percentage curve has moved steadily downward. In 1947 the rate dropped 21 per cent. The following year it dropped 18 per cent. After that the decline continued at approximately 4 per cent per year, and 1954 continued the more wholesome pattern.

Reducing it to figures the improvement is clearly expressed by noting that there were 610,000 divorces in the country in 1946. For the first nine months of 1954 the total was down to 118,677.

Of most importance is the good news of domestic happiness and stability which are so important to any enlightened forward moving society. But the welcome figures also denote other improvements. The post-war adjustment, which contributed its share of broken homes, is over. The moral and spiritual tone of the nation is resurgent. American character has rallied to the great responsibilities of the post-war world and is proving that it is equal to the load.

### We Have Been Hurt

This week the United States declared 27 per cent of its area out-of-bounds to Russian citizens.

It was an action answering similar but greater restrictions against Americans in Russia. It was also an acknowledgement of the lack of faith and good will between two of the world's major powers.

One cannot condemn a security-minded government for taking steps which it sincerely believes will protect its citizens and contribute to national survival. But one can deplore a world condition that tends to create fortresses of free nations. It is thus that a people of liberty and freedom and good will are hurt by those who do not stand for such things.

### Be Careful

Much of Nebraska received a thick blanket of snow, clothing the state with winter beauty and doing solid good for the soil and crops. It is a reminder that the state has the welcome variety of seasons—enough of each to make life prosperous and pleasant.

But with the snow comes the warning that cautions greater than usual driving care.

It is hard for drivers to readjust their judgment and habits to the changed conditions that early winter snows bring. What are safe speeds and distances on dry highways are trouble breeders during the period of driving readjustment. The answer is to play it super safe. The state needs both its snow and its citizens.

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## Committee Report Hits School Lunch

WASHINGTON — A secret report on its way to President Eisenhower's desk urging him to cripple the school lunch program.

The report is written by the Commission on Intergovernment Relations, formerly headed by Clarence Manion, who was replaced by Meyer Kestbaum, head of Hart, Schaffner and Marx, after Manion resigned over the Bricker amendment battle.

The commission, which is supposed to improve government efficiency, has taken a strong stand through its subcommittee on education against spending federal money for the school lunch program.

Though acknowledging that the "school lunch program is beneficial to the health and welfare of school children," the report urges local financing and concludes: "(the program) is not a federal responsibility. Federal participation should be gradually tapered off."

The secret report also recognizes that "years of depression and war have left a grossly inadequate school plant," yet in the same breath, it recommends flatly: "The general conclusion is that federal aid is not necessary for either current operating expenses for public schools or for capital expenditures for new school facilities."

The commission's solution is to let the states and local communities put up the money for school construction "in accordance with the will of their citizens."

This would mean unequal educational opportunities for American youngsters, the Commission acknowledges, because of "differences in fiscal ability among states."

However, the report observes hopefully: "Those differences have been narrowing considerably in the last two decades, but they are still substantial. Efforts to narrow the gap should aim at raising the economic level and the capacity of the less wealthy states rather than subsidizing them. Existing disparities have been and can continue to be ameliorated by the prudent use of the progressive federal tax system."

### BACKSTAGE FIGHT

These drastic recommendations stirred up such a battle behind the scenes, however, that almost half the presidential commission absolutely refused to sign the report. One member, Atlanta's school superintendent Paul West, was so sore that he put out a sizzling minority report blasting the majority recommendations as "a futile attempt to reverse the course of American history."

"There is no doubt that our state and local tax structures need overhauling," writes West, "but here again the (majority) report wishes to engage the people in a theoretical debate while postponing the solution of a more pressing problem—adequate education for children and youth who will grow into adulthood while we reform our tax structure."

West was joined in his backstage fight by such distinguished educators as Roy Simpson, California's superintendent of public instruction; the Very Reverend Monsignor Thomas J. Quigley of Pittsburgh; Oscar Earhardt, chairman of the St. Louis school board; and Carl J. Megel, president of the American Federation of Teachers. They

### DORIS FLEESON

## Demos Start Push To Regain White House

WASHINGTON—The Democrats opened an intensive campaign to regain the White House at precisely twelve noon on Wednesday, Jan. 5, when Vice President Nixon banged his new ivory gavel, the gift of India, to call the 84th Congress to order.

From that day until the polls close on Nov. 6, 1956, Democratic strategy will be directed toward separating in the public mind President Eisenhower, the popular military leader, from President Eisenhower, the civil and political leader.

The former they will let alone. They hope through remorseless analysis as issues and occasions arise to show that the limitations of the latter disqualify him for a second term.

Their strategy implies that they expect him to run again. That is just what they expect; from what they have seen they think he cannot say no to a draft.

For very sincerely Democrats believe that the President is the major and almost indeed the only political asset of the Republican party. If they were Republicans they would arrange a forced draft themselves.

For the same reason they believe their strategy is purely a matter of survival.

They see no way to avoid a certain build-up of the President by enacting most of his legislation, since they would offer it if he didn't. They feel compelled to shift their ground to the proposition that no program is any better than the people who administer it.

There are very few important dissents in the party from the new strategy, only arguments about how it should be executed. Southern conservatives are among those who feel most deeply that the

frankly considered the majority recommendations as a threat to the nation's educational future.

On the other side, the majority signers were led by Adam S. Ben-Nion of Salt Lake City and Roger A. Freeman of Olympia, Wash., both prominent educators in their home states. They also were joined by ex-Gov. Alfred Driscoll of New Jersey, President Henry Wriston of Brown University and A. Boyd Campbell, president of the Mississippi School Supply Company and education chairman for the U.S. Chamber of Commerce.

At one point, the majority report partially backs down on withdrawing federal money from the schools. Pointing out that federal funds are furnished for roads, hospitals, airports and other facilities, the report admits: "Schools are working under a handicap if all of their funds must be raised locally or by states while other facilities are partly financed by the federal government. While we are opposed generally speaking to grants-in-aid, as the whole import of our report has indicated, we believe that if that principle is to be abandoned and there are to be grants-in-aid, schools should not be ignored."

This brought an answering blast from West, who declares: "The report of the committee stands or falls on the assumption that the clock will be turned back and that in the very near future, federal grants for highway, airport and hospital construction will cease, thereby making grants in aid to education unnecessary. The report adduces no evidence to sustain this assumption; indeed, as recently as July, 1954, President Eisenhower called for an expanded highway construction program financed by federal and state funds."

"State and local government can and should provide from their own funds an adequate vocational program," the report states.

However, the minority fought vigorously against abandoning this program, which teaches improved farming methods in backward rural areas.

The showdown over federal aid to education will now be passed to the White House.

### WASHINGTON PIPELINE

When the "grand old man of Congress," Sam Rayburn of Texas, took over the speakership of this Congress, he chalked up a new record and continued another. Rayburn has the longest record of Continuous service of any member of the House or Senate—since March 4, 1913. His closest competitor is Carl Vinson of Georgia, a member of the House since Nov. 3, 1914. Rayburn had eclipsed the record of Henry Clay, even before this Congress, as House speaker . . . British and American financial experts have been wrangling over one penny. The British have just figured that their annual payment for the U.S. "line of credit" loans, not counting interest, should be \$47,049,983.20. The treasury agrees on the above figure, except for the twenty cents. Instead of \$47,049,983.20, the Treasury says it should be only \$47,049,983.19. The British are a bit peeved over this reflection on their arithmetic, but since they will save a penny, they have grudgingly accepted the American figure.

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President has been put to work for which he is not suited. The Rayburn opinions which were accidentally made public at New Orleans are a fair statement of the general view.

Only time will show whether such strategy can be executed according to plan and whether the public will oblige by making the requested distinction. Nothing like it has been tried lately.

For 20 years most Republicans attacked both the two Democratic Presidents and their works with fine impartiality, reserving their greatest scorn for the "me-tooers" in their party. Their system worked badly until the erosion of time and the errors of the Democrats invoked the Eisenhower landslide.

Democrats will do what they can in this Congress to capitalize on farm discontent, Republican factional differences, the "give-aways" of natural resources and apprehension about cuts in defense. Any failures in the administration, as the Ladejinsky case, will get the full treatment.

They still think their problem boils down to Eisenhower, the chief executive. They have no illusions about their task. They think he has had a very long honeymoon with his good qualities magnified and advertised, his shortcomings widely excused.

Their argument is that the presidency is not a popularity contest. If it were they think Eisenhower would win it no matter what the opposition proved. They insist that the people can and will accept what they call a calm, honest and realistic presentation of the Eisenhower philosophy and character.

"And if the people won't," said one veteran politician, "we've already lost in 1956."

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## MAN'S BEST FRIEND

## A Dog Of Perfect Behavior

By ALLEN EDEE

Star Staff Writer

Of all the breeds of dogs, there is one especially for babies and young children.

That is the toy dog. It pulls, barks, walks, or just stands, sits and lies down at the obedient command of the small master.

Thousands of them are found in American homes and every toy dog has a loving master.

Eager little hands can twist the tail, pinch the ears, pick it up and squeeze it or throw it into a corner—all without a whimper.

Bright eyes can look closely at the funny animal without a scratch.

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It can't be teased. It will always play with children.

The toy dog is but a stepping stone to Rover.

When little hands learn how to pet and hold a dog, when little tots learn how to put the dog back in his toy dog house, and when they learn how to protect him from other children—these are steps to dog care.

A child must first learn to love a dog and then to be responsible for it. A toy dog prepares the way for love and with a little training from the parents can also lead the way to caring for a real dog.

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For instance, after the first thrill of pinching and throwing the toy dog around, children may gradually be taught the different parts of a dog that require gentle handling.

The how-wow may even eat some "meals" at regular intervals. Or the toy dog may be placed in the corner while the family is eating and be told to stay there.

All this is building up for the big day when the real and much

## THE PEOPLE SPEAK

Editors Note: Be brief. Limit your letters to 200 words or fewer. Letters signed by a pen name or initials must be accompanied by writer's name and address. Letters represent only contributor's view.

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### Value Of Trading

Lincoln, Neb.

To the editor of The Lincoln Star: Isn't it about time that we as a nation had a few stars placed in our crown for colossal stupidity? We pour out billions to give our allies a lift and bolster their economies, and then on the other hand we antagonize them and hamper their progress with trade barriers. For nations with a limited variety of natural resources, these barriers seem inhuman and are a red-hot iron in the solar plexus. Their only solution is to turn to Iron Curtain countries.

Isn't it about time we removed the scum from our eyes about this mumbo-jumbo that foreign-made goods hurt our labor?

In a typical transaction between two parties, both benefit from the transaction. Each offers to trade that which he finds less difficult for something more difficult to produce. By trading, both get something extra for nothing.

This incentive for trading is the same whether it is neighbors bartering vegetables across a back fence or nations exchanging billions of dollars worth of goods across national boundaries.

The differences in standard of living are not a factor.

For every additional billion dollars worth of goods imported into our country, an equal amount of federal money could stay in the taxpayers' pockets and be used to pay for incoming goods. We would still have the original purchasing power for American-made goods, but our well-being would improve proportionately.

Perhaps far more important than any economic benefits to us might be a better attitude from our allies. This might be decisive at a time when the world's peace hangs on a knife's edge and the Kremlin with hawk-like scrutiny watches western unity. Instead of 11 imprisoned airmen, it easily could be thousands more in the near future.

The seeming callousness of high trade barriers makes wonderful Red propaganda.

Nations, like most people, have pride and do not like to feel that they are forced into being parasites on someone else.

Wouldn't it be better to be intelligently realistic and not let some hokus-pokus propaganda sell us short in the eyes of other nations?

ELMER E. HOLM

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### A Correction

Minden, Neb.

To the editor of The Lincoln Star: We appreciate the fine publicity given Minden and Kearney County in The Star of Dec. 26. However, I feel that I should correct a statement made in one of the articles, since I have had inquiries about it.

The article stated that we no longer have any rural school districts. Through redistricting we have succeeded in reducing the number of our districts from 66 to 15. Twelve of these 15 districts are Class I rural elementary districts. Four of these are contracting for instruction with other districts and eight are maintaining school in their own districts.

GOLDA CANADAY,  
County Supt. Kearney County



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YOUNG MASTER AND TOY DOG  
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All the excitement of having a real live dog will not turn to fright or teasing with a few carefully laid plans by Mom and Dad.

### ED FITZHUGH

## Dachshunds Were Not Meant For Deep Snow



A dachshund is a dog with limitations applying mostly to the vertical rather than the horizontal plane. When Nature contrived the dachshund, she did not have in mind an animal which could travel in the snow. That is why Gypsy has a tender stomach.

Too late, it is apparent that we should have left Gypsy home when we went with the Williamses to their snug, snow-covered cabin in the hills for a whirl at winter sports. She would be a more comfortable dog now, if we had. The fault was her own in the beginning. She was not content to remain inside. People were playing in the snow, and it looked like fun. Then somebody opened the door, and she charged outside. The charge carried her many yards into a large, untraced expanse of snow. It sped up from her paws like spray from a destroyer's bow before she came to a bewildered stop.

I do not know what it is about dachshunds, but occasionally you will find one with very little hair on the underside. Perhaps they scrape it off going over bumps. Whatever the cause, Gypsy is one of these. She is not exactly bald on her tummy, but with one good attack of dandruff, she would be. It is not a condition calculated to make a very low-slung dog comfortable for very long in a snow bank. She wasn't.

She rolled over. Her back is

Before I could comply, Gypsy solved her own problem. She quit bouncing. With shrewdness born of desperation, she utilized her own great length to stave off frost bite. She humped her back like a measuring worm, and for the first time in her life, her back feet walked within three inches of her front ones. Her nose plowed a furrow in the snow, and the rest of her followed it. She looked like a small brown camel playing submarine.

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### OFF THE RECORD

Ed Reed

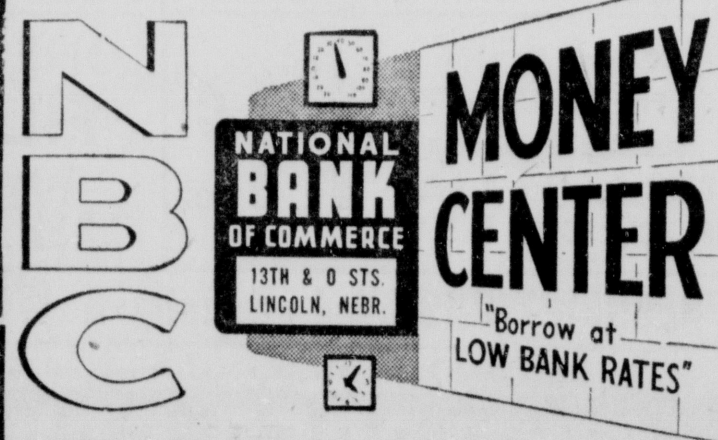


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D. The forecast is cool for shopping and afternoon parties when you wear L'Aiglon's crisp pin check gingham with dainty lattice work neckline. Removable jacket repeats lattice motif on pockets. Sizes 12 to 20 and 12½ to 20½ in Black, Navy or Brown.

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E. The "gleam" is fashion news for spring. L'Aiglon does a fresh, billowy pima cotton with a dash of nylon to create the lustrous look of silk broadcloth. Niceties: the gros-grain bows, the water-like covered buttons. Sizes 10 to 18 in Mauve, Blue or Beige.

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# Air Force Discloses Wartime Readiness Plans For Reserves

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WASHINGTON (AP)—The Air Force announced plans Wednesday to give 349,000 reservists and Air Guardsmen specific assignments in advance, so they could start defending America within two or three hours in the event of an enemy attack.

Besides selecting the pilots and others for the automatic mobilization day jobs, the plan calls for automatic assignment of all guard and reserve fighter wings to continental defense and the establishment of from 40 to 45 additional reserve bases.

## Oppenheimer Hits U.S. Blocks On Scientist Swap

NEW YORK (INS)—Atomic scientist J. Robert Oppenheimer said that government blocks to free exchange between U.S. and some foreign scientists "seems a wholly fantastic and grotesque" way to meet the threat of espionage.

He said that the "enormous apparatus" which keeps certain scientists from entering this country is "a scandal."

But, despite these roadblocks the scientist declared that there was no widespread reluctance upon the part of U.S. scientists in this country to work for the government.

Oppenheimer, recently forbade access to government atomic secrets as a security risk, made the statements in an interview with Edward R. Murrow.

Terrible Loss

The scientist agreed that in some cases if the McCarran Act had been enforced it would have been a terrible scientific loss to the U.S. He said that perhaps even renowned scientist Albert Einstein may have been refused entry to the country under the act, adding: "This is terrible. This is just terrible, and seems a wholly fantastic and grotesque way to — to meet the threat of espionage — just an enormous apparatus, surely not well designed, for that, and terrible — for, for those of us who live with it."

"We are rightly ashamed . . . that we can't hold (scientific) congresses in this country — that we can't — often don't let people go to congresses where they're most wanted . . . this is a scandal."

Oppenheimer, chairman of the Institute of Advanced Study in Princeton, N. J., recruited and directed the scientists who created the first atom bomb at Los Alamos and served as chairman of the general advisory committee of the Atomic Energy Commission.

Grave-Diggers Strike

PARIS (INS)—Paris grave-diggers went on strike for higher pay. Burials will continue during the walkout, however, under arrangements made by city officials.

## Scores Jailed As Suspects In Remon Killing

PANAMA (AP)—Secret police and National Guardsmen have jailed 70 suspects in Panama City and an unannounced number outside the national capital in the all-out hunt for the killers of President Jose Antonio Remon.

One of those arrested, ex-President Arnulfo Arias, was transferred Wednesday from his coffee plantation to National Guard headquarters at David, the capital of Chiriqui Province 200 miles west of here.

Authorities apparently decided against bringing Arias to Panama City, because they feared his presence might touch off demonstrations. A chief political foe of the slain president, Arias has many supporters here as well as political enemies.

Police said they were holding for questioning in the killing an American identified as Marvin Lipstein, who was arrested at the airport Monday night. It was reported that Lipstein, who said he was born in New York City and educated at the University of Southern California, had an airline ticket to Mexico and a steamship ticket for passage from the country to Italy.

Old Tombs Found

TOKYO (INS)—The Peiping Radio announced that 41 tombs dating back to the Han Dynasty (206 B.C. to 220 A.D.) have been discovered in the southern Province of Kwangsi on the Red China mainland. The Communist broadcast said the tombs were unearthed in the course of construction project. It reported that relics turned up numbered almost 500 including pottery drinking vessels, carved bronze mirrors and cauldrons, gold ornaments and precious stones.

## Russ, Slavs Sign Trade Pact

MOSCOW (AP)—Russia and Yugoslavia, bitter foes in the final years of the Stalin era, signed a 20 million dollar trade agreement Wednesday.

The pact, to run for a year, marks a further step by Premier Georgi Malenkov's government to normalize relations with President Marshal Tito's Communist nation, which was ousted from the Cominform in 1948 in a row over party politics.

The pact is a barter agreement under which Yugoslavia will export chiefly meat, canned meats, tobacco and soda and Russia will send her cotton, crude oil and gasoline. Mjalko Todorovic, a member of the Yugoslav Federal Executive Council, signed for Yugoslavia in the formal ceremony at the Soviet Trade Ministry. Foreign Trade Minister Ivan Kabanov signed for Russia.

There had been no formal trade links between the U.S.S.R. and Yugoslavia for six years. The other Cominform countries, including Hungary, Romania, Bulgaria and Albania adjoining Yugoslavia, joined in the campaign. The new pact, however, was foreshadowed by a short term deal arranged last Oct. 1 for barter of some non-strategic materials between the Soviet Union and Yugoslavia through the final three months of 1954.

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## Merger Eyed

WASHINGTON (INS)—Labor sources said that AFL and CIO attorneys will try to work out a plan which would clear some primary hurdles to merger of the two big labor organizations—but that any merger is still many months away.

Top labor officials, it was explained, instructed AFL general counsel Mathew Woll Jr. and CIO General counsel Arthur J. Goldberg to draw up a draft of a proposed agreement removing some initial obstacles which have arisen in the merger effort.

## Death Sentence

TAIPEH (INS)—A former high official in the Chinese Nationalist government was found guilty of corruption and abuse of power and sentenced to death by a military court in Taipei. He is Lt. Gen. Pao Chi-juang, who once held the post of judge advocate-general of the Nationalist Defense Ministry.

## First Of Series

LONDON (AP)—The Moscow radio said work has started on the first of a series of new-style hydro-electric stations along the Angara River in Siberia. The power plant will comprise an earthen dam, scooped up from bed of the river, with a spillway built into the turbine house, the broadcast said.

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## School Of Blind Move Might Be Advantageous, Crosby Suggests

Gov. Crosby suggested to the legislature Wednesday that it might be advantageous to move the state school for the blind to "some town where there is a good college so that special educational services could be obtained on a reasonable basis."

He did not mention any particular location if the board of control should decide to erect the proposed new building elsewhere.

**Kearney Urged**

An organization of parents of students now at the school has urged it be moved to Kearney to take advantage of the presence there of a teachers college.

Among the governor's recommendations to the 1955 legislature, contained in his budget message delivered Wednesday, were these:

Return of operation of the truck weighing scales and the driver's license examinations to the safety patrol, with sufficient increase in the patrol appropriation to put 23 more uniformed men on the road in addition to the 24 needed for the scales and 13 to give the examinations.

A "loan" for the turnpike authority to finance a feasibility survey.

Resubmission of the amendment to remove the constitutional provision that executive salaries can be changed only once in eight years.

**\$2,241 State Tax Is Paid On Winter Estate**

The estate of Fred B. Winter of Grand Island, who died Dec. 9, 1953, has paid a state tax of \$2,241.36, the tax commissioner reported.

The county inheritance tax was \$3,016.

The gross estate amounted to \$763,734, with non-taxable deductions amounting to \$511,926.

## Amazing Coincidence Finds Five Reunited In Midair

SAN FRANCISCO (INS) — An amazing coincidence involving an unexpected reunion 10,000 feet above the Pacific was reported Wednesday in a letter from Mrs. Cherry M. Miles of Brisbane, a San Francisco suburb.

In the early days of World War II, five young women from Australia and New Zealand met at Neumea, New Caledonia, when they went there to work for the air priorities system of the U. S. army air forces.

They liked things American so much that all five girls decided to move to the U. S. after the war. In 1946, the quintet traveled together by ship to San Francisco where the young women separated.

**'Cherry'**

A couple of weeks ago, the former Cherry McAdam, now married to J. Miles of Brisbane, decided to travel back to Sydney, Australia, to spend Christmas with her parents. She boarded a Pan American airways clipper at San Francisco Dec. 21. What happened after that she related in a letter received by her husband Wednesday.

She was walking down the clipper aisle when she heard feminine shrieks of "Cherry." There, as fellow passengers, were three of her former friends — Rita Caulfield, June Mitchell and Mary Nichols

who had been living in Philadelphia, New York and Washington, D. C.

None of the foursome had corresponded in years. Not one knew any of the others was planning a trip home. But the long arm of coincidence had reached out to place them aboard the same airplane.

Just to make things complete, who should board the clipper at Honolulu but the fifth member of the original quintet, Beverly Carter, who was taking her children to Australia for a Christmas visit!

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## Russia May Be Trying To Form New Siberia Sea

OSLO, Norway (AP) — Soviet Russia may be trying to create a new sea in Siberia to make up for her shortage of ice-free supply ports in the far north, the Oslo paper Morgenposten said Wednesday.

The Russians plan to "dam up the tremendous masses of water flowing northward, thus turning vast desert-like regions into a new sea," the paper's usually well-informed military writer said.

The Reds have "allegedly experimented with atom bombs along the Siberian coast in an effort to blast out extensive shipping lanes," he wrote.

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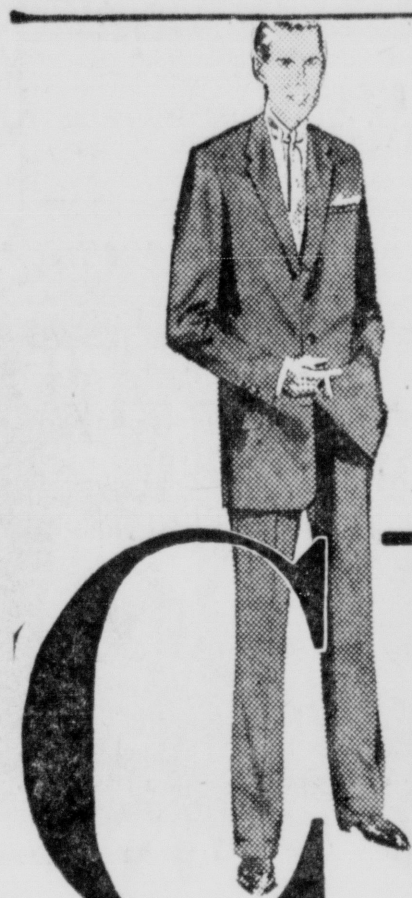
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## Crosby's Budget Request For 55-57 Biennium

Gov. Crosby's budget request submitted to the Legislature includes all funds coming into the state agencies.

The retiring governor's recommendations follow:

	General Fund		Agency Request		Recommended New	
	Appropriated 1953-1955	Agency Request 1955-1957	Appropriations 1953-1955	Agency Request 1955-1957	Appropriations 1953-1955	Recommended New
Legislature	15,526.42	18,000.00	15,526.42	18,000.00	15,526.42	18,000.00
Legislative Council	68,276.12	72,500.00	68,276.12	72,500.00	68,276.12	72,500.00
Clerk of Legislature	41,279.33	41,979.95	41,000.00	41,979.95	41,000.00	41,979.95
Supreme Court and State Library	394,366.17	395,363.60	397,840.00	394,366.17	394,366.17	395,363.60
District Courts	944,487.67	957,020.00	957,020.00	944,487.67	944,487.67	957,020.00
Governor	131,310.70	208,168.00	246,168.00	181,363.20	208,168.00	246,168.00
Lieutenant Governor	3,964.43	4,058.13	3,858.13	3,964.43	3,858.13	3,964.43
Secretary of State	75,799.85	79,559.80	73,568.00	75,799.85	73,568.00	75,799.85
Auditor of Public Accounts	407,841.22	422,988.00	403,168.00	407,841.22	403,168.00	407,841.22
Attorney General	222,842.22	229,618.00	223,168.00	222,842.22	223,168.00	229,618.00
State Treasurer	59,848.70	81,262.60	78,168.00	59,848.70	78,168.00	81,262.60
Superintendent of Public Instruction	1,304,411.97	1,239,289.00	1,059,000.00	1,304,411.97	1,059,000.00	1,239,289.00
Railway Commission	136,477.34	331,477.80	441,504.00	136,477.34	441,504.00	331,477.80
Ed. Educational Lands & Funds	289,577.36	219,547.44	145,850.00	289,577.36	145,850.00	219,547.44
Board of Pardons and Pardoners	35,612.85	73,295.00	68,400.00	35,612.85	68,400.00	73,295.00
Board of Vocational Education	731,933.53	1,047,052.04	872,000.00	731,933.53	872,000.00	1,047,052.04
Tax Com. and Budget Control	255,613.98	295,239.80	286,268.00	255,613.98	286,268.00	295,239.80
Department of Agriculture	817,700.70	1,082,715.99	892,000.00	817,700.70	892,000.00	1,082,715.99
Department of Banking	63,322.06	67,128.15	67,000.00	63,322.06	67,000.00	67,128.15
Department of Health	410,971.39	537,820.66	365,000.00	410,971.39	365,000.00	537,820.66
Department of Insurance	104,906.63	133,619.87	113,000.00	104,906.63	113,000.00	133,619.87
Department of Labor	78,497.91	87,120.20	82,000.00	78,497.91	82,000.00	87,120.20
Dept. of Roads and Irrigation	3,041,254.55	4,232,365.00	3,943,000.00	3,041,254.55	3,943,000.00	4,232,365.00
Department of Veterans Affairs	147,823.34	154,369.50	143,000.00	147,823.34	143,000.00	154,369.50
State Assistance and Child Welfare	15,149,064.50	13,207,000.00	12,096,000.00	15,149,064.50	12,096,000.00	13,207,000.00
Custodian of Capitol	696,005.40	581,799.52	560,000.00	696,005.40	560,000.00	581,799.52
Military Department	511,117.31	587,541.00	478,100.00	511,117.31	478,100.00	587,541.00
Game, Forestry and Parks Com.	269,303.48	432,680.00	280,900.00	269,303.48	280,900.00	432,680.00
Nebraska Public Library Com.	116,400.00	127,745.00	127,000.00	116,400.00	127,000.00	127,745.00
Nebraska Liquor Control Com.	391,837.66	418,929.64	385,000.00	391,837.66	385,000.00	418,929.64
Workmen's Compensation Court	96,770.15	102,246.00	102,000.00	96,770.15	102,000.00	102,246.00
Court of Industrial Relations	13,888.67	15,000.00	8,000.00	13,888.67	8,000.00	15,000.00
Nebraska Brand Committee	499,441.32	512,500.00	500,000.00	499,441.32	500,000.00	512,500.00
Nebraska Real Estate Com.	25,678.53	25,000.00	25,000.00	25,678.53	25,000.00	25,000.00
State Building Commission	40,000.00	29,800.00	29,800.00	40,000.00	29,800.00	29,800.00
State Capitol Mural Commission	10,967,161.51	13,460,215.00	11,547,000.00	10,967,161.51	11,547,000.00	13,460,215.00
Board of Control of State Institutions	3,019,063.86	3,624,265.69	3,624,265.69	3,019,063.86	3,624,265.69	3,624,265.69
University of Nebraska	15,000,000.00	18,830,269.26	17,800,000.00	15,000,000.00	17,800,000.00	18,830,269.26
State Board of Agriculture	45,000.00	45,000.00	45,000.00	45,000.00	45,000.00	45,000.00
Agricultural Activities	16,966.11	18,240.00	16,150.00	16,966.11	16,150.00	18,240.00
Nebraska State Historical Society	221,163.87	271,507.40	245,000.00	221,163.87	245,000.00	271,507.40
State Soil Conservation Committee	33,268.56	37,600.00	37,600.00	33,268.56	37,600.00	37,600.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$56,988,003.66</b>	<b>\$64,213,709.04</b>	<b>\$58,358,221.82</b>	<b>\$56,988,003.66</b>	<b>\$58,358,221.82</b>	<b>\$64,213,709.04</b>

## WEST NEWSMEN ENTER KREMLIN TO SEE SANTA

MOSCOW—Western correspondents were admitted to the Kremlin Wednesday to shake hands with Grandfather Frost (Santa Claus) and watch thousands of Russian children dance around a huge fir tree in St. George's hall where once Czarist nobles and their ladies danced.

Wednesday children of Western diplomats who attend Moscow's English-American school have been invited. They include the young son of U.S. Ambassador Charles E. Bohlen.

Grandfather Frost, an actor from the Moscow stage, entertained the children with the assistance of numerous singers, dancers and variety artists.

This is one of a series of parties which will continue day and night through most of January. The parties were started last year and are one of the most popular moves the government ever made. Thousands of parents are trying to get tickets for themselves and their children.

The children get a bag of candies and small gifts as they leave. One thing missing this year were oranges from Israel. Last year everybody got at least one big orange.

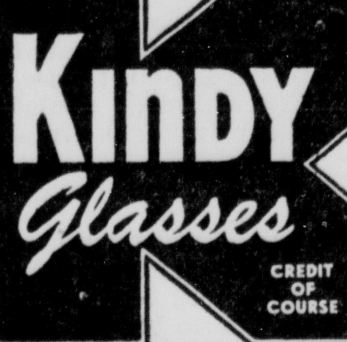
## Ballou Services Scheduled Friday

Lincoln Star Special

ASHLAND, Neb.—Funeral services for James B. Ballou, 76-year-old retired farmer, will be held at 2 p.m. Friday at the Marcy Chapel here. He was killed in an auto accident near Albion Tuesday.

Mr. Ballou, traveling alone at the time of the accident, was en route to Albion when his car hit an icy spot and ran into a high-line pole, the State Safety Patrol reported.

His survivors include his wife, Daisy; a brother, Otis of Ashland; two sisters, Mrs. Sue Cummer and Mrs. Libbie Fenton, both of California; and several grandchildren and great grandchildren.



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# 28 Bills Introduced Unicam's 2nd Day

... Hearings To Start Next Week; First Bill Redesignates Roads

By ARCH DONOVAN  
Star Staff Writer

The 67th session of the Nebraska Legislature wasted little time in getting down to work Wednesday after completing organization. Members introduced 28 bills and the first 17 were immediately referred to committees. This makes possible the starting of hearings next week and some measures

could be up for consideration by the entire body at the week's end. The first bill introduced provides for designation of additional roads as part of the state highway system. This would permit early scheduling of several projects, including the highway between North Platte and McCook, that have been held up because they were not specifically on the state system, although federally approved. Sen. Harry Pizer of North Platte,

who signed the bill, said it would take care of "four or five" relocations where the highway department has been stymied following a ruling by the Attorney General that they had to be on the designated state system. The only woman member, Mrs. Kathleen Foote, Axtell, proved a good housewife and offered a "housekeeping bill" as part of the "Keep Nebraska Beautiful" campaign. Male seatmates, however, gave her a good natured "razzing" by

calling her first bill a "garbage measure." The measure would prohibit dumping refuse on highways, streets and alleys except at designated places. The bill came as a result of recommendations by a citizens' committee named by Gov. Robert Crosby to seek methods to keep litter from the highways. The budget committee offered bills to provide \$137,255 for expenses of the session and \$76,500 for members salaries. The first attempt at salary increases for state employees came in a bill offered by Sen. Robert Perry of Lincoln, who seeks to increase the salary of the deputy secretary of state from the present \$4,200 to \$5,400. Sen. Monroe Bixler, Harrison, offered a measure providing for the sale of lands held in trust for the benefit of the state schools. A previous bill of this kind was defeated. Advocates of sale of the land failed to get sufficient signers to obtain sale by constitutional amendment. Sens. Bixler and Speaker Burney of Hartington, as the No. 2 bill proposed a temporary Board of Educational Lands and Funds to serve until the Legislature has time to work out details for a permanent board considering number, qualifications and length of term of members. The old board consisting of the governor and four elected officials was abolished by a constitutional amendment passed at the last general election and ceased functioning in December. The temporary board proposed would consist of five members appointed by the governor to serve until Oct. 1 when a permanent board could be provided. In addition to the Foote "housekeeping bill" only one highway measure was introduced the opening day. Sen. Earl Lee, Fremont, offered a bill that would provide that the person accompanying a minor with a permit to learn to drive a motor vehicle must be at least 21 years of age. The "beaver must go" bill that Sen. John Beaver had promised to introduce was included in the day's grist. It eliminates the \$5 trapping permit fee and \$2 tag required to be attached to each pelt taken.

## Crosby Budget Talk Reaction Is Favorable

The opinions voiced on out-going Gov. Robert Crosby's budget message by members of the Legislature Wednesday were generally favorable.

Budget Chairman Hal Bridenbaugh said he felt Crosby had pointed out what was needed. He added that every agency must "justify any increase it asks."

Speaker Dwight Burney of Hartington said he liked it better than Crosby's theme of "restraint" offered two years ago because Nebraska "has problems it must meet even if it costs more."

Sen. John Beaver, Beemer, Legislative Council president, said the message "seems to show conclusively it is very hard, if not impossible, to cut down the budget when we have all these demands for increased services from the people."

Sen. Charles Tyrdik, Omaha, called it "a straightforward message."

Sen. John Aufenkamp of Julian declared, however, that the suggestion that the School for the Blind might be moved from Nebraska City was "uncalled for."

Sen. O. H. Liebers of Lincoln said he liked the philosophy expressed in the message, that Nebraska government "must keep up with our industry and resources, both human and material."

## Tax Distribution Bill Introduced

A bill requested by Gov. Crosby was introduced by Sens. Bruney, Hoffmeister and Bixler to make possible getting gasoline taxes distributed to counties, until the formula dispute is ironed out by the courts or the Legislature. The bill provides that the formula used last July shall be followed until a permanent formula is devised. State Treasurer Frank Heintze made no distribution during November and December because of lawsuits pending in Lancaster County District Court where the funds were deposited for court distribution.

The governor told the Legislature that "the situation has become more acute during the last few days."

Besides introducing bills the members listened to the budget recommendations of the outgoing governor.

William Wheeler, Ex-Lincolnite, Dies

William E. Wheeler, 76, of Van Nuys, Calif., formerly of Lincoln, died there Tuesday. Born in Missouri, he spent most of his life in Nebraska before moving to California 14 years ago.

Surviving are wife, Edna Florene; son, Willis T.; daughter, Mrs. Claude Hutchins, all of Van Nuys, Calif.; son, Leslie of Lincoln. Funeral services will be held at Val Halla Mortuary, North Hollywood, Calif.

## Syas Proposes Control Board Alternate Plan

Sen. George Syas of Omaha Wednesday outlined a proposal for a citizens' board of public welfare to replace the Board of Control if the constitution were ever amended to change the existing set-up. The Board of Control has supervision over 17 institutions, including hospitals, the penitentiary, reformatories and training schools, and two educational institutions.



Sen. Syas

Sen. Syas has proposed abolishing the board, on grounds that the system is outmoded. Such a step would mean changing the constitution, but Syas has said he will introduce a bill putting the proposal to a vote in 1956.

Syas suggests creation of a department of public welfare under a part-time board having regulatory, advisory and policy-forming powers.

The present Board of Control set-up dates back to 1920.

### What's In A Name?

SAN FRANCISCO (INS) — Mrs. Margaret Bottles of San Francisco held a divorce from her husband, Frank. Her charge was brief but explicit: Mr. Bottles was hitting the bottle.

## Legislative Bills

The first day for introduction of bills in the 1955 Nebraska Legislature found 28 measures thrown into the hopper. They are:

- LB 1. Pizer, Thompson, Shultz. Designating additional highways as state highways. (E)
  - LB 2. Bixler, Burney, Liebers. Providing temporary board of educational lands and funds. (E)
  - LB 3. Shultz. Eliminating registration fee for school buses and rural fire trucks. (E)
  - LB 4. Beaver, Lee, Shultz. Eliminating fee for permit and scaling of each hide of a beaver during open season. (E)
  - LB 5. Bishensky. Extending time for filing claims for aircraft gasoline tax refund. (E)
  - LB 6. Fenske, Bixler. Providing for payment of tuition by school district maintaining accredited high school located in county containing more than 700 square miles. (E)
  - LB 7. J. Adams. Repealing fair employment practices. (E)
  - LB 8. Metzger, Tyrdik, Moulton. Providing for licensing of trailer courts. (E)
  - LB 9. Budget Committee. Providing for salaries of state officers. (E)
  - LB 10. Budget Committee. Appropriating for state government for 1955-57 biennium. (E)
  - LB 11. Budget Committee. Appropriating \$137,255.60 for expenses of the Legislature. (E)
  - LB 12. Budget Committee. Appropriating \$76,500 to pay salaries of legislators. (E)
  - LB 13. Burney. Empowering first and second class cities and villages to correct and re-establish corporate limits to conform to plat on file more than ten years. (E)
  - LB 14. Anderson, Bixler. Providing that persons required to list property for taxation furnish information as to service in the armed forces. (E)
  - LB 15. Burney, Hoffmeister, Bixler. Providing for distribution of gasoline tax funds according to formula in use in July, 1954. (E)
  - LB 16. Foote. Prohibiting dumping along highways, streets and alleys except at designated places. (E)
  - LB 17. J. Adams. Authorizing cities and villages to zone outside area within one mile of city limits. (E)
  - LB 18. Nelson. Prohibiting depositing of garbage or debris on land not owned or controlled. (E)
  - LB 19. Perry, Anderson. Increasing salary of deputy secretary of state from \$4,200 to \$5,400. (E)
  - LB 20. McGinley, Cole, Peterson. Providing the board may suspend issuance of bounty certificates when a county enters a predatory animal control program. (E)
  - LB 21. Thompson, Hoffmeister. Authorizing counties to levy taxes for flood control. (E)
  - LB 22. Shultz. Increasing allowance to department of agriculture for administering motor fuel tax laws. (E)
  - LB 23. Lee, Perry. Providing manner of paying inheritance tax when beneficiary does not come into possession of property until a future date. (E)
  - LB 24. Otto, Cole. Authorizing destruction of public records over five years old, excepting as specified. (E)
  - LB 25. Otto, Cole. Providing levies by first and second class cities and villages may be used for all purposes. (E)
  - LB 26. Bixler, Cole. Providing for sale of state school lands. (E)
  - LB 27. Lee, Browder, McGinley. Providing for taxing costs in contempt and delinquency proceedings. (E)
  - LB 28. Lee, Burney, Otto. Providing that person accompanying a driver with a learner's permit shall be at least 21 years old. (E)
- The (c) in parenthesis indicates the bill carries the emergency clause.

## Heintze Adds To Frozen Tax Funds On Last Work Day

State Treasurer Frank Heintze has deposited an additional \$16,854.58 in gas tax funds with the Lancaster District Court, bringing the total to \$2,912,828.56.

Heintze's attorney said the deposit made Wednesday represents the balance of gas taxes collected for December.

The funds, representing November and December collections, have been deposited with the court in connections with Heintze's declaratory judgment action against the 93 counties for court determination of proper distribution.

Future action in the gas tax fund drive will be up to State Treasurer-elect Ralph Hill of Hebron. Heintze's official term expired at midnight Wednesday.

### Happy Robber

TACOMA, Wash. (AP)—A lone, calm bandit held up the Parkland branch of the National Bank of Washington and wished everybody a "Happy New Year" as he walked out with approximately \$60,000.

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## Peterson Quits State Tax Post

Gov. Robert Crosby announced Wednesday that George W. Peterson has submitted his resignation as state tax commissioner.

Peterson said last week that he would stay on as commissioner after Gov. - elect Victor Anderson appointed Fred Herrington, Lincoln, to the post. Peterson said he took that position since the Legislature never officially had confirmed his appointment two years ago.

However, Peterson later modified his stand to the extent that he said he would confer with Anderson and Herrington on the matter.

Gov.-elect Anderson said the matter of whether Herrington could take office as tax commissioner would be up to the Legislature.

In making the announcement Wednesday, Crosby said that Peterson had submitted his resignation at this time since a delay would hamper operations at the tax commissioner's office, now doing its peak load of work.

Following the announcement of his resignation, Peterson said he would remain at the tax commissioner's office for two or three weeks in order "to effect a smooth transition."

He said he had a few possibilities for the future but added "nothing has crystallized yet."

Peterson was appointed tax commissioner in 1953 by Gov. Crosby when Norris Anderson resigned. He has served in the commissioner's office since 1948.

## Pen Changes Up To Board, Anderson Says

Gov.-elect Victor Anderson said Wednesday that the state Board of Control would have full responsibility in effecting any changes in the state Penitentiary during his administration.

The incoming governor added that he would make no specific recommendations to the board concerning changes in Nebraska penal institutions.

He indicated that it would be up to the board whether a change of administration is made at the Penitentiary.

However, Anderson said he would keep very close touch with all institutions during his administration, adding that he would receive progress reports from the Board of Control on work done in improving the state's penal facilities.

He said he would hold the board fully responsible for the situation at the Penitentiary and other institutions.

Gov. Robert Crosby, Anderson's predecessor, had recommended to the Board of Control that either Penitentiary Warden Herbert Hann be dismissed or a qualified penologist be placed in charge of all Nebraska penal institutions.

The recommendation came after Crosby's citizens' committee on penal affairs sharply criticized the situation at the Penitentiary, calling for a change in administration.

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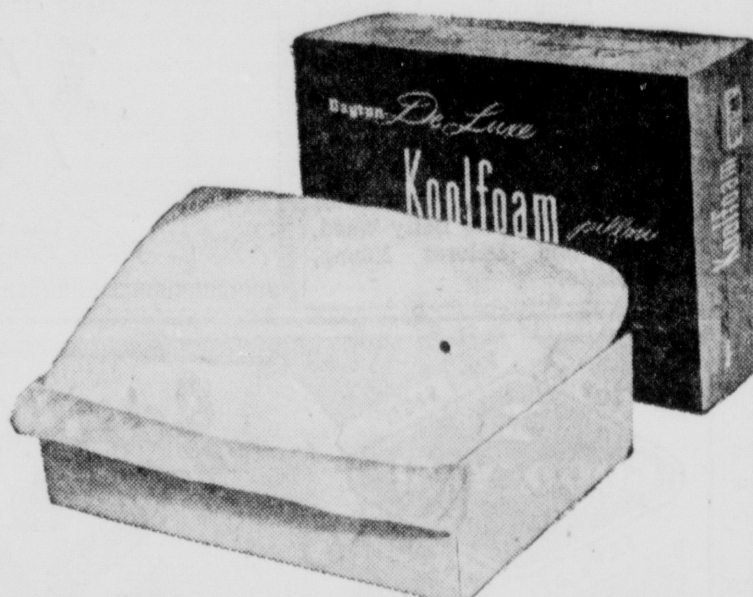
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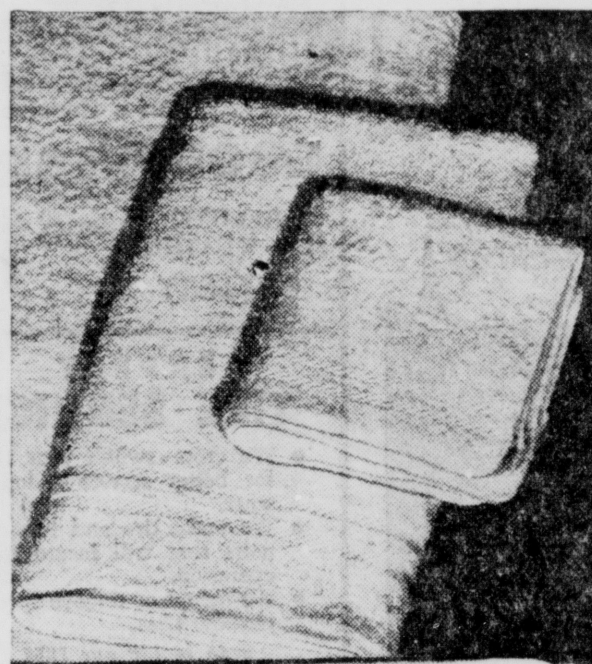
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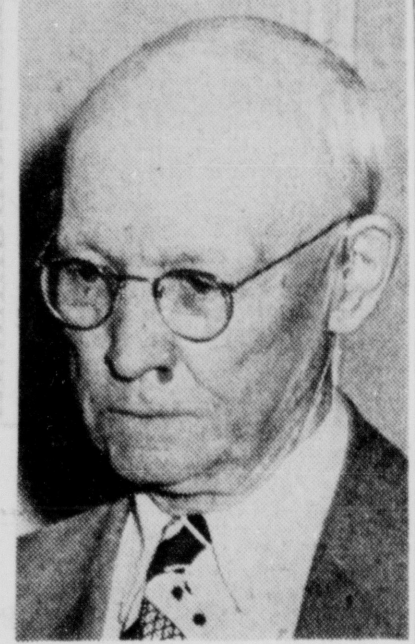


**'Bill' Bloom, Veteran Educator, Honored****Event Staged At Lexington**

Lincoln Star Special  
LEXINGTON, Neb. — A veteran Nebraska educator, W. C. "Bill" Bloom, retiring Dawson County superintendent of schools, was feted here Wednesday night in a surprise celebration.

One hundred and fifty persons attended the dinner and ceremony honoring Mr. Bloom. The event, which came as a complete surprise to the honoree, was sponsored by the Lexington Rotary Club.

Dr. Harry A. Burke, superintendent of schools at Omaha, was the main speaker at the "Bill



W. C. BLOOM... educator for many years.

Bloom Day" event. Dr. Burke, former head of schools at Goshen and Kearney, was closely associated with Mr. Bloom while serving those schools.

President of the Nebraska State Teachers Association in 1938, the 77-year-old Mr. Bloom was awarded the Nebraska conservation trophy in 1949 in recognition of his teaching of conservation in the rural schools in Dawson County. The award was presented by the Nebraska Council of Sportsmen Club.

Mr. Bloom began his teaching duties in rural schools near North Platte. Later he served for four years as superintendent of schools at Moorefield and five years in a similar post at Farnam.

He left the teaching profession for three years to serve as Dawson county treasurer. He was elected Dawson County superintendent in 1915, serving in that capacity until the first of this year.

Among those attending the "surprise" were Mr. Bloom's daughter, Mrs. Marguerite Miller of Champaign, Ill.; Dewey McCabe and Emmett McCabe, who operate an industrial plant in Chicago, both raised in the Bloom home; and Bill Crawford and Tom Crawford, also both of Chicago and half-brothers of Mr. Bloom.

In recognition for his services to Dawson County, Mr. Bloom received a wristwatch from the local Rotary Club.

During the 30s Mr. Bloom was grand master of the Nebraska grand lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

**Goat Missed Point In Navy Campaign**

OMAHA (AP)—Tom, the billy goat acquired to help boost a Navy drive for Nebraska recruits apparently didn't quite get the idea. Tom insisted on dining on paper signs advertising a Nebraska Navy company which had been fastened to his blanket. He varied the diet with cigarettes.

**Ex-Con Shot As He Ignores Orders To Halt**

OMAHA (AP)—Alvin Kovalin, 34, Omaha ex-convict, was recovering in County Hospital Wednesday from wounds suffered when he was struck by pellets from a police riot gun as he fled from a warehouse.

Police said he admitted being in the warehouse but would not name his companion or give any more information.

Patrolman Andrew Davis and Robert Bragg said they had answered a burglar alarm at the warehouse of William Volker Co. and fired at two men who fled from the building and ignored repeated commands to halt. Kovalin gave up after pellets struck him in the left knee and right ankle, but his companion escaped.

Detectives said Kovalin told them he had entered the building but had not found "anything I wanted." Police said Kovalin's record includes conviction for burglary, larceny and mail theft.

**Dr. Conner Joins Faculty At Wayne**

Lincoln Star Special  
WAYNE, Neb.—Dr. Arthur B. Conner, Iowa City, Ia., has joined the Wayne State Teachers College faculty as professor of foreign languages. Dr. John D. Rice, president, announced.

Dr. Conner will take over classes formerly taught by Dr. Faith Brown, who died in a Sioux City hospital following brain surgery.

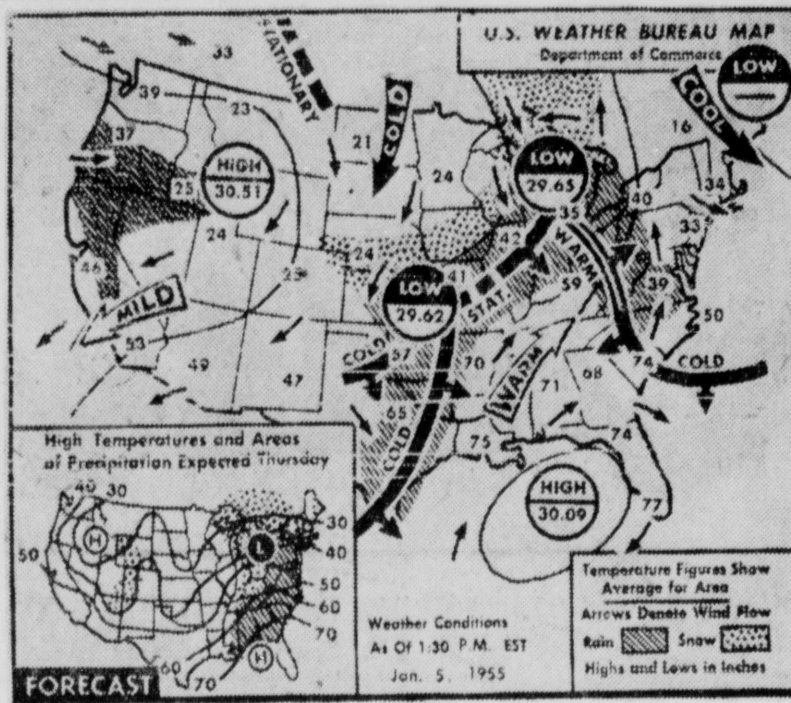
Dr. Conner comes to Wayne from the State University of Iowa, where he has been doing advanced work as a research assistant since last June. Prior to that time he taught German and Spanish at Central College, Pella, Ia.

Dr. Conner graduated with honors from the University of Southern California, and received his master's and doctor's degrees from the State University of Iowa.

During World War II, Dr. Conner served in the Navy. He is married and has two children.

**Dawson Feeders Tour Scheduled Next Month**

LEXINGTON, Neb.—The Dawson County feeders tour and dinner is scheduled for Feb. 10. According to Harold Stevens, agricultural extension agent, the group will leave from the Cozad Veterans Building at 9 a.m. Following the tour, there will be a dinner in the Catholic Church basement in Lexington at 7 p.m.

**Some Snow Forecast Over Nation**

Cloudy to partly cloudy skies are forecast for the eastern third of the country Thursday.

There will be snow and snow flurries over the Great Lakes and Ohio Valley areas, and light snow will fall in New England states and along the Atlantic

Coast. West of the Mississippi skies are expected to be partly cloudy with snow flurries in the central and southern Rockies. It will be warmer over the middle and south Atlantic states and much colder in the Mississippi Valley. (AP Wirephoto Map.)

**State Deaths****Mrs. Cora A. Hedrick, 85, Waco, Dies**

WACO—Funeral services for Mrs. Cora A. Hedrick, 85, longtime resident of the Waco community, were held Wednesday. She died at Alliance where she had been visiting a daughter, Mrs. Blanche Hawley. Born in Lafayette, Ind., she came to York County about 75 years ago. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Opal Blair of Lincoln and Mrs. Hawley; three sons, Leo of Waco, Verle of Gresham and Paul of Pendleton, Ore.; two sisters, Mrs. Annie Tinker of Waco and Mrs. Jessie Majors of California; 19 grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren.

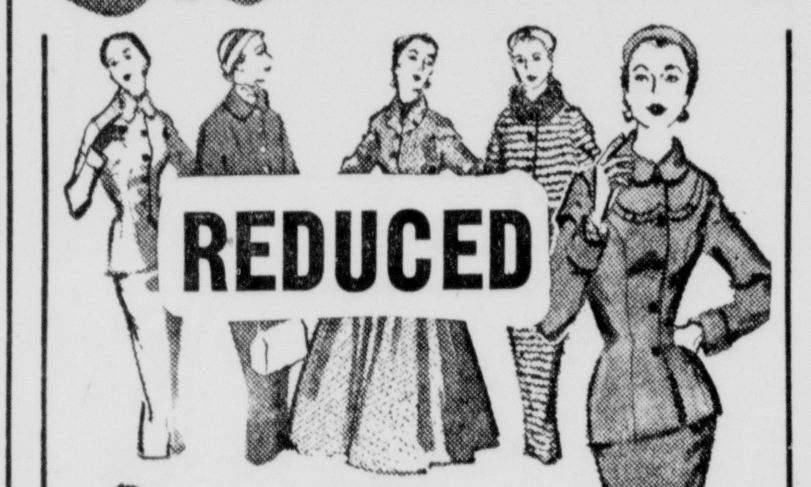
DIETRICH STEFFENS—Funeral services were held here for Dietrich Steffens, 82, who died in a Nebraska City hospital. Born in Bremen, Germany, he came to Nebraska many years ago, settling at Avoca. Later he moved to Nebraska where he operated a general merchandise store. Surviving are a brother, Chris of London, and a number of nieces and nephews. His wife died in 1948.

JOHN PRESTON MARTIN—Word has been received here of the death of John Preston Martin, 70, of Cairo, Tex., sometime owner and publisher of the Odell Weekly Wave. His death at a hospital in Galveston, Tex., followed a long illness. Surviving are his wife, a son, Harold of Victoria, Tex., and two sons, Mrs. Richard Morris of Stella and Mrs. Homer Morris of Fort Morgan, Colo.

PHILIP K. HILE—Funeral services were held at the Baptist Church here for Philip K. Hile, 83, who died in a Hastings hospital. He had resided in Cairo since 1939. Born at Lumber City, Pa., he came to Hall County in 1870. Surviving are a sister, Mrs. Minnie Lawson of Denver; 23 nieces and 35 nephews.

RALPH R. POTTER—Funeral services were held here for Ralph R. Potter, 68, who died in a local hospital. He was a native of Smith Center, Kan. Surviving are his wife, two sons, Ralph P. of Arnold and Marshall E. of Kearney, and one daughter, Mrs. Gerald Smith of Arnold.

MARGARET RUSSELL—Funeral services were held at St. Mary's Cathedral here for Margaret Russell, 82, who died in a local hospital. She was a native of Smith Center, Kan. Surviving are her husband, two sons, Ralph P. of Arnold and Marshall E. of Kearney, and one daughter, Mrs. Gerald Smith of Arnold.

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**Doane Scholar Title Goes To Four Seniors**

Lincoln Star Special  
CRETE, Neb.—Four Doane College seniors were designated as "Doane scholars" at Thursday's honors convocation.

They are Lillian Albrecht, Ogallala; William Chilcoat, Stanton; Helen Petersen, Omaha; and Marilyn Potteiger, Omaha.

The four have earned 90 or more hours in their first three years at Doane with a grade quotient of 2.5 or higher, and thus receive the honor and title of "Doane scholar."

Seniors Sally Nevel Johnson, Omaha, and William Trepka, Dorchester, received "junior honorable mention" for having earned 2.25 or higher in at least 30 hours of work in the junior year.

Juniors, who received "sophomore honorable mention" for a 2.25 grade quotient in 30 hours include Adrienne Ayer, Omaha; Agnes Cornell, Lincoln; Mary Hawkes, Colorado Springs, Colo.; Ron Hines, Alliance; John McAndrew, Ainsworth; Beverly McKenzie, Grand Island; Kendall Rice, Wilsonville; William Schmidt, Johnson; and Emily Yang, Formosa, China.

"Freshmen honorable mention" awards, for similar grade achievements in their first year at Doane, went to Shirley Barnard, Beatrice; Dan Bohi, Riceville, Ia.; Jerine Bouska, Crete; Beth Briggs, Seward; Carol Chab, Wilber; David Daniell, Stanton; Dick Engberg, Beatrice; Carolyn Hought, Pueblo, Colo.; Suzie Jacobsen, Mt. Vernon, Wash.; Lynn Lyon, Nebraska City; June Meador, Newton, Kan.; Gene Remmers, David City; Sue Shafer, Cimarron, Kan.; Sharon Sheldon, Lincoln; Iris Shirock, Omaha; Larry Sinn, Alexandria; Delyte Tesar, Wilber; Betty Weed, Alliance; and Delores Young, North Platte.

**One Hospitalized In Wahoo Crash; Icy Road Blamed**

Lincoln Star Special

WAHOO, Neb. — Icy pavement is blamed for the auto-truck crash near here Wednesday which hospitalized C. C. Day, 47, of Omaha.

County Sheriff Joe Davis said the crash involving Day's auto and a semi-trailer truck driven by H. E. Sutton of Grand Island occurred on Highway 92 and U.S. 30A seven miles east of Wahoo. Both vehicles were badly damaged, the sheriff reported.

Day's injuries included concussion, right eye injury, shock and fracture of the collarbone, according to his attending physician at a Wahoo hospital.

The truck driven by Sutton, who escaped injury, is owned by the T. W. Martin Company at Grand Island.

Day, bookkeeper for a Wahoo firm, drives back and forth daily from Omaha, and was en route to Wahoo to work at the time of the mishap.

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# Road Toll Four As Grand Islander Dies

## AUTO BURNS AFTER HITTING ICE PATCH NEAR DAVID CITY

By the Associated Press

The death of Mrs. Loretta Smith, 18, of Grand Island Wednesday as the result of an auto crash near David City brought the state's 1955 highway fatality toll to four. The death toll a year ago stood at eight.

Another fatality, that of Martin Volzke, 52, of Gresham, will be added to the 1954 total, although his death occurred this year. He was injured in a Dec. 17 accident east of Bradshaw.

Safety Patrolman W. W. Clark said the car in which Mrs. Smith was riding apparently struck a patch of ice near David City, went out of control, struck a tree and caught fire.

Hospital attendants identified the other occupant of the car in which Mrs. Smith was riding as Al Grotzky, 21, of Wood River.

The David City Fire Department rescue squad was called to the scene to fight the flames which destroyed the car. Safety Patrolman Arnold Lisec drove to Wahoo to meet a Red Cross Unit carrying additional blood, plasma for a transfusion, but Mrs. Smith died some hours later.

Patrolman Clark said Robert Mettenbrink, Grand Island, came on the scene of the accident moments after it happened and pulled Grotzky from the car and pulled Mrs. Smith away from the scene.

Grotzky was discharged from the Marine Corps in December. He was reported in good condition Wednesday. Volzke died in a York hospital,

the second victim of a three-car collision near Bradshaw.

Mrs. Bertha Wegemann of St. Louis died earlier of injuries received in the same accident.

The immediate cause of Bolzke's death was a blood clot, but his physician said it was caused by an injury suffered in the accident.

Officials said a car driven by Gus Holub of Grand Island started sliding and struck the Volzke car and another car, driven by Roy Kaiser of Bradshaw, which was following Holub, also slid into the Volzke car. Mr. and Mrs. Holub and Mrs. Volzke are still hospitalized. Mrs. Wegemann was a passenger in the Holub car.

### Youngster Recovering From Hay Sled Mishap

ALLIANCE, Neb. — Billy Brennemann, six-year-old son of R. William Brennemann of Hyannis, is recovering in an Alliance hospital from injuries received when he was run over by a hay sled.

The youngster suffered a crushed chest and abdomen, damaged lungs and liver, according to the attending physician.



### Weaver Sworn Into House Post

Rep. Phil Weaver (R-Neb.), left, re-enacts his swearing in as a member of the House Wednesday in Washington with Speaker Sam Rayburn (D-Tex.). Weaver, whose home is at Falls City, Neb., succeeds Carl T. Curtis, Minden, who was elected to a full six-year term in the Senate. Sen. Curtis also took the oath Wednesday. (AP Wirephoto)

## Curtis, Weaver And Chase Take Over New Positions

WASHINGTON (AP)—One Senator and two Congressmen from Nebraska took office Wednesday as the 84th Congress convened.

Carl T. Curtis, Minden Republican who served in the House as 1st District Congressman for the last 16 years, took the oath in the Senate Wednesday for a full six-year term.

Actually, Curtis has been a Senator since 12:01 a.m. Jan. 1. He was named in mid-December by Gov. Robert Crosby to succeed Sen. Hazel Abel (R).

Mrs. Abel was elected in November to serve from election day until the start of the new Congress. She resigned, however, so Curtis could be appointed to succeed her and thus gain seniority for committee assignments over first-term senators who were sworn in Wednesday.

Both new Congressmen are Republicans. Phil Weaver of Falls City succeeds Curtis. Jackson

## Blaze Damage Hits \$150,000

NORTH PLATTE, Neb. (AP)—Damage to stock and fixtures Wednesday was estimated \$150,000 in a fire at the Hirschfeld Co., North Platte's biggest men's clothing store.

The estimate was made by owner Joe Hirschfeld. Cause of the fire was still undetermined Wednesday and a deputy state fire marshal was en route here to assist in the investigation.

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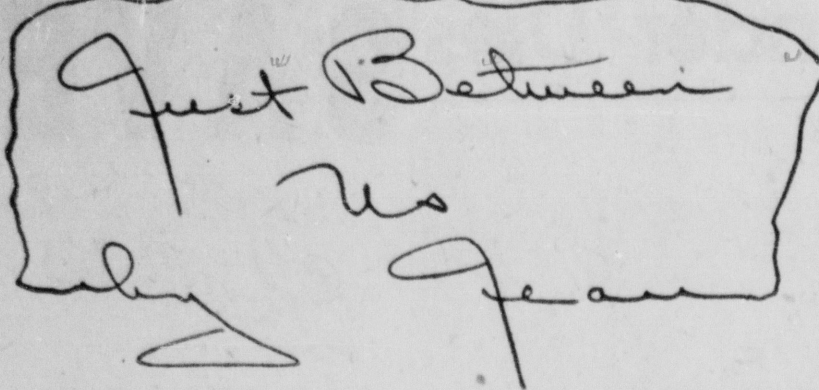
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# THIS AND THAT IN THE NEWS



—many a harassed housewife over the hectic holidays, has had the opportunity to apply Murphy's Law, which is, "If anything can go wrong it probably will!"

—at our house, the canary disappeared up the chimney sometime Christmas eve leaving no trace but three feathers at the foot of the fireplace. Perhaps he decided to accompany Mr. Claus on his Christmas rounds.

—and the Welsh terrier completely consumed one of the Christmas decorations consisting of red felt, gold paper, glue and sequins. Needless to state, she remained on the casualty list for several days.

—another housewife, doing a quick dinner shortly before the Christmas holidays, had prepared eight hamburgers for the family, left them on the counter preparatory to cooking, and went into the dining room to set the table. Returning to the kitchen she found not a hamburger in evidence. She claims she seriously considered the possibility of the seasonal rush having added her wits. Perhaps she hadn't actually made those hamburgers after all — until she noticed an added bulge along the sides of their Labrador.

—a friend from Texas writes that she was horrified to pull out of the Bendix not only the extra-holiday-load of clothes, but their new little white kitten as well.

—a local grandmother and grandfather left shortly before Christmas for a prolonged holiday with their daughter who is the mother of twins and two other children—all under four years

of age. Grandpa remained for exactly four hours, then was able to get a plane reservation for home and left his wife to stay out the visit.

—do your children spend enough time with the family during Christmas vacation? According to Business Week, you'll save yourself a lot of grief if you accept the fact that your children want to be on their own most of the time. They still need you as much as ever—but for this vacation, perhaps just as a backdrop. One way to see something of them: Give them the run of the house for their own parties — including permission to raid the icebox.

## Madam Chairman

**MORNING**  
Lincoln Woman's Club physical education department, 10:30 o'clock at the YWCA, swimming at 11 o'clock.  
Lincoln Council of PTA, 10:30 o'clock board meeting at the Public School Administration Building.

**AFTERNOON**  
Lincoln Woman's Club parliamentary department, 1:30 o'clock at the YWCA.  
Ladies Day Out, 1 o'clock at the YWCA.  
Lincoln Council of PTA, monthly meeting, 1:15 o'clock at the Public School Administration Building.  
Alpha Omicron Pi Mothers Club, 1 o'clock luncheon at the home of Mrs. Earl R. Wilson, 1111 So. Cotner.  
Bethany Mothers Club, 1:15 o'clock at Bethany Christian Church.  
Jane Jefferson Democratic Women's Club, 12 o'clock luncheon at Democratic headquarters, Lincoln Hotel.

**EVENING**  
YWCA Thursday Evening Club, 6 o'clock at the YW.  
Bookmark Club, 7:30 o'clock at the home of Miss Lanta Dales, 1936 F.  
Chapter DK, PEO, 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Dale Schilling, 2940 So. 24th.

## Breakfast Club Hears Speaker

The monthly breakfast meeting of the Lincoln Credit Women's Breakfast Club was held Tuesday morning at the Hotel

Cornhusker. Merwyn Nyquist was a guest of the group and during breakfast spoke to the members on "Credit."

Kempker, James Ryan, George Stanley, Max Harding, William Slagle, William Swanson, Robert McNeerney, Walter Haase, Paul Pertsche, Richard Vestecka, William J. Leavy, Kenneth McCaw, Richard Wilson, Ralph Nelson, Fred Hurlbut and Roland Luedtke.

Omaha will be Mrs. W. H. Thompson, Mrs. A. W. Gordon Jr., Mrs. Ralph S. Pryce, Mrs. E. Eugene Clayton, Mrs. Edward J. Sessinghaus, Mrs. Leslie Johnson, Mrs. Arthur J. Hansen, Mrs. Mildred Cromwell, Mrs. J. L. Gagini, Mrs. Wayne Eves, Mrs. Walter B. Anderson, Mrs. William H. Thomas, Mrs. A. Shepard Taylor, Mrs. Charles A. Nye, Mrs. Gordon L. Randall, Mrs. James K. Nodgaard, Mrs. Harvey Hoffman, Mrs. Hugh McKenna, Mrs. Owen W. Cotton, Mrs. M. M. Myers, Mrs. Myles Standish, Miss Evaline Belsley, Miss Nancy Phillips, Miss Virginia Lee Pratt, Miss Lorraine Grant, Miss Nancy Askew, Miss Helen Amos, and Mrs. Gay Smith.

Representing Fremont on the hostess list will be Mrs. Nick Neff and Mrs. Alice McDermont Madden.

The ushers will include Dick Fellman, Andy Howe, Andy Smith, Gene Scranton, Bruce Martin, Normal Cruetz, Von Innes, Philip Shade, Dana Eurich, Marvin Friedman, Max Peterson, Al Schmid, John Chappel, Don Rosenberg, Barry Larson, Jim Copp, Chuck Tomsen, Neil Miller, Leonard Barker, Norm Veitsee, Bill Campbell, Tom Olson, Sam Ellis, John Gurlay, Ralph Hayward, Bob Bovey, Fred Stauffacher, Jim Wengert, Ron Green, Joe Krause, Walt Wright, Bill Devries, Tom Woodward, Marv Stromer, Brock Dutton, Art Raun, Don Boyd, James

WHAT with dancing club plans—news of a January bride-elect—some homecomers, a four-some of travelers—and some interesting data from Lima, Peru, S. A., we're not dreaming of the White Christmas that might have been in spite of the snow—We've been more or less looking ahead a bit—casting an eye on future events and, of course, came up with the thought that the Nebraska Art Association soon will be getting down to the business of planning for its annual spring exhibit—Two additional activities will be added to the late winter and early spring calendar—the Nebraska Unicameral Ladies' Club—and the Nebraska Ladies' Legislative League—two different organizations—the Legislative Ladies League dating back to the two-house legislature—and the Unicameral Ladies Club which was organized at the beginning of the Unicameral Legislature.

Miss Cullinan has chosen her sister, Mrs. Richard Harnsberger as her matron of honor and only attendant—and Mr. Harnsberger will serve Mr. Irey as best man.

COMPLIMENTING their daughter and Mr. Irey, Mr. and Mrs. Cullinan will preside at dinner at the University Club on Friday evening. Dinner places will be arranged for only members of the families, including Mr. Irey's mother, Mrs. A. M. Irey of Boyertown, Pa., who will arrive in Lincoln a week from today.

BACK home again are Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Keefer who spent the holidays in Topeka, Kan., where they were the guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George J. Frey and their two daughters, Janet and Judy.

Joining the family group for holiday week were Mr. and Mrs. Keefer's son-in-law and daughter.

Margaret Cullinan whose marriage to Richard Irey will be solemnized on Saturday, Jan. 15. The 3:30 o'clock ceremony will take place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Cullinan, and will be attended by only members of the immediate family.

THE travelers we mentioned are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Edgren and their two children, Susan and Mark, who leave on Saturday for Phoenix, Ariz., where they will spend two weeks as the guests of Mr. Edgren's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Powell; and his mother, Mrs. Arthur H. Edgren.

HEARD some very interesting news about Mrs. Frey and Mrs. Atkinson—But anyone who reads the magazine, "Children's Activity," may already know the story—Anyway, Mrs. Atkinson composed some lullaby music—Mrs. Frey did the lyric, and the combined efforts appeared in the December issue of the magazine.

UNDERSTAND that a group of young Theta matrons had one of its once-in-a-while coffees Wednesday morning when the members met informally at the home of Mrs. Donald Edmund. An out-of-towner who dropped in to catch up on all the Theta circles news was Mrs. Lawrence McKee of Evanston.

AWAY BACK when—we were talking about future events, we meant to mention a costume

Meeting Postponed

The meeting of the NCO Wives Club which was planned for Wednesday evening was postponed because of the weather. The meeting, according to Mrs. Jack Libby, new president of the club, will be held at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening at the NCO Club on the Lincoln Air Force Base.

During the business meeting, plans will be completed for the club's monthly dinner-meeting, to be held Jan. 19 at Cotner Terrace, where the new officers will be formally installed.

Elected in December, the officers are Mrs. Libby, president; Mrs. Art Mapstead, first vice president; Mrs. Max Marsh, second vice president; Mrs. Bud White, secretary, and Mrs. Kenneth Timberlake, treasurer.

## Lennox Club

The members of the Lennox Club met at the home of Mrs. J. C. Mosher for their New Year's Eve party. Mrs. J. C. Nelson was the assisting hostess.

Mrs. John Miles and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hullinger were guests for the evening, which was spent with games. Later in the evening, a supper was served with the table decorations carrying out the Christmas motif.

party that is scheduled for Saturday, Jan. 22—The 100 Club members will hold their annual costume affair, with all of the trimmings, at Hotel Cornhusker—We hear that something new has been added this year—but we can't tell—at least not at the moment.

APROPOS of dancing clubs—The Merrimix Club members will be tripping the light fantastic at Hotel Cornhusker on Saturday evening and, incidentally, will be contributing to the March of Dimes funds.

The committee in charge of the party arrangements is composed of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pierce, chairmen; Mr. and Mrs. Clem Gaughn, Mr. and Mrs. Clark McCabe and Capt. and Mrs. Dean Swanson.

Guest couples at the affair will include Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Way, Mr. and Mrs. Max Barrett, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Wagner, Mr. and Mrs. Kepler Harding, Miss Janet Schroeder, Don Imig, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Johnston, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jones.

## Garden Club Officers



New officers of the Havelock Garden Lovers Club were installed Tuesday evening following the regular monthly meeting of the club at the Havelock YWCA Center.

President for the coming year will be Mrs. George Erickson, seated at left above, and vice president will be Mrs. Vern

Amen, who was not present at the meeting and is not included in the picture.

Seated at right is Mrs. George Gustafson, new treasurer, and standing is Mrs. Glenn L. Litzenberg, club secretary.

A feature of the evening's program was a general discussion on gardening for late fall months.

## We Hear That

Word has been received in Lincoln of the birth of a daughter, Linda Sue, to Mr. and Mrs. Larry Treadwell of Concordia, Kan., at St. Joseph's Hospital in Concordia on Wednesday, Jan. 5. Both Mr. and Mrs. Treadwell (Rita Nixon) are former Lincoln residents. Little Miss Treadwell is the granddaughter of Mrs. Lillian Treadwell of Lincoln, and of Mrs. John Nixon of Chadron.

## Inaugural Ball Hostesses Named

The traditional Inaugural Ball, this year to honor Gov. and Mrs. Victor E. Anderson, will be held on Thursday evening at the University of Nebraska Coliseum, and W. Joyce Ayres, chairman of the committee on the ball arrangements, has announced that the ball will be open to the public.

Mr. Ayres and his committee also make announcement of the hostesses and the ushers who will assist at the Thursday evening festivities.

The hostesses from Lincoln will include Miss Helen Hospodsky, Miss Ardis Hunt, Miss Donna Lemon, Miss Helen Campbell, Miss Maxine Schroeder, Miss Betty Lu Naden, Miss Helen Luedtke, Miss Donna Kempfer, Miss Valarie Rezabek, Miss Sue Wendland, Miss Betty Koch, Miss LaVerne Obermeyer, Miss Bonnie Boyd, Miss Jessie Burgin, Miss Mary Swanson, Miss Darlene Miltner, Miss Betty Kasler, Miss Carol Gifford, Miss Pat Sanders, Miss Twila Olson, Miss Verda Samuelson, Miss Betty Benson, Miss Margaret Collins, Miss Margaret Fahrbuch, Miss Lois James, Miss Esther Ecker, Miss Faye Larson, Miss Barbara Kratz, Miss Barbara Morris, Miss Martha Rebensdorf, Miss Jo Chleboun, Miss JoAnne Brown, Miss Janice Streily, Miss Ruth Darlington, Miss Jeanette Spearman, Miss Tunnie Cummings, Mrs. Merle Karnopp, Mrs. Elmer Scheele, and Mrs. William Reis. Serving as hostesses from

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# From Old-Fashioned Rolltop Desk Burcham Streamlined Court Routine

By VIRGIL FALLOON  
Star Staff Writer

Clerk of the District Court W. Claude Burcham closed his rolltop desk Wednesday for the last time, ending 46 years of service to the court.

However, this old-fashioned desk, Burcham's favorite, has not been symbolic of his conduct of the office as Clerk for the past 19 years.

Burcham, who served as deputy clerk until his election as clerk in 1935, has been instrumental in "streamlining" the court dockets and records for modern efficiency.

"The office gives more services to attorneys and the court than in former days," Burcham said.

**Changed Docket**

Where formerly each judge kept his own docket book, loose-leaf minute sheets were devised for greater convenience to the judge and for docket continuity.

A separate tax foreclosure docket was set up and a three-letter index adopted for more efficiency in docketing cases.

Drawing comparisons between now and 1908 when he became a clerk in the office, Burcham doesn't think as much trial work is done now by attorneys.

"More cases are settled now," he said, "something just about unheard of then. When a case was filed then, it meant a court fight."

**A Six-Week Case**

Burcham recalled a jury case that went six weeks in which a Butler County woman recovered \$2,000 on her husband's insurance policy.

Accused and convicted of murdering her husband, she was later granted a governor's pardon, and successfully brought suit here for the insurance, Burcham said.

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## State Will, Take Waterfowl Census

Nebraska next week will take part in the annual mid-January waterfowl census made over the North American Continent.

The Nebraska Game Commission co-operates with the Fish and Wildlife Service of the Department of Interior in the project, which calls for counts starting Tuesday in all known wintering waterfowl areas.

In Nebraska, the census is split into two phases.

All Game Commission conservation officers will make a complete survey of all species of wintering waterfowl in their respective areas, except in areas of huge concentration, such as the Missouri River and larger reservoirs and lakes.

Observers in airplanes then will check the heavier concentration areas.

The count usually takes two days.

## Three Sledding Blocks Set Up

Three sleigh riding areas have now been set up by the city recreation department with other spots scheduled for barricading Thursday.

To have a section of the street roped off for sledding, 75 per cent of the property owners adjoining the street in question must sign an application or sledding. The application is then passed upon by the recreation department and Police Department.

Sledding is confined to the daytime except if flares are used and permission must be obtained to use flares. Street barricades are furnished by the recreation department but must be put out and taken in by property owners.

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CLAUDE W. BURCHAM... Retiring. (Star Photo.)

state institutions located in Lancaster County, the District Court here has unique jurisdiction over some types of cases.

Burcham recalled with a chuckle how attorneys often brought saloon cases in this county from other counties where recovery was less certain.

**Under Slocum Law**

Under the old Slocum law, saloon keepers were civilly liable for contributing to the drunkenness of a person, he explained.

Where possible the jurisdiction of this court was invoked — for instance, through the state capital location of a foreign bonding company's agency — by plaintiffs in counties where recovery there was nearly impossible.

A native of Indiana, Burcham came to Nebraska as a child and was graduated from Hickman schools. While he had wanted to study law, he remained to help his father on the farm and later operated his own farm until two years of drouth and hog cholera forced him out in 1902.

He came to Lincoln to take a position with the Lincoln Traction

Company, where he remained six years until appointed a clerk by his predecessor J. S. Baer, who had been Hickman school superintendent before being elected as clerk in 1908. A year later Burcham was made a deputy clerk, and in 1920 was appointed chief deputy.

**Reads Westerns**

Burcham is an avid reader — westerns are his favorite — in spite of his impaired vision which only one eye affords.

Burcham, now 80, had a cataract removed from one eye several years ago, but not the other. "It's sort of an insurance deal," Burcham explained. "If the good one goes bad, I'll have the cataract removed from the spare."

Burcham has found the work of the Clerk's office "most pleasant during the years. It has been a grand association with the judges, attorneys, and the county employees."

With no special plans for his retirement, Burcham has "quite a few westerns I haven't read." And, too, he will "enjoy an occasional visit to the office."

## Clay's Committee To Draft Its Final Highway Program

WASHINGTON (INS) — The White House announced that a special committee headed by Gen. Lucius D. Clay will meet Friday to draft its final report to President Eisenhower on his proposed multi-billion dollar highway program.

The group reportedly is recommending that the federal government undertake to start an additional 25 million dollars of highway construction in the next 10 years.

Since an estimated 47 billion dollars will be spent on highways in that period under present plans, this would mean that the total road building outlay would be boosted to 72 billions between now and 1965.

Official sources said the Clay committee is emphasizing the need for 54 billion dollars in additional highway expenditures during the 10-year period. But aside from the federal government's extra 25 billion contribution, the remainder would have to be put up by state and local governments.

The committee reportedly is making no recommendation on how the state and local governments should finance their share.

White House News Secretary James C. Hagerty told reporters the committee will call at the White House next Tuesday to present its report. The President plans to send a message to Congress Jan. 27 outlining the highway program.

## Boy Charged In Sister's Slaying

BUCYRUS, O. (P)—A charge of delinquency against Frederick Spears, 17, of Galion, was filed in Crawford County Juvenile Court Wednesday.

Juvenile and Probate Judge Constance R. Keller heard Galion police chief Morris Bowers charge Spears with unlawfully and purposely killing Patricia Ann Spears, 16, his sister.

Officers said the freckle-faced brother confessed to strangling Patricia in her bed following a pillow fight last Friday. He is being held in County Jail.



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# New Hoover Report Could Stir Debate

WASHINGTON (AP) — Herbert Hoover Wednesday asked Congress to extend President Eisenhower's reorganization powers and perhaps to put up a little more money for the Hoover Commission's studies on streamlining the government.

Simultaneously a New York University report predicted the Hoover recommendations, soon to start appearing, could be "far more controversial" than the first Hoover report in 1949.

## 1,500 Competitive Activities

The university study also reported a few unannounced findings of the task forces set up by former President Hoover to do the research spade work for his 12-member, bipartisan commission on reorganization of the executive branch. These included:

1. The government carries on some 1,500 activities "which can be regarded as competitive with those undertaken by private industry."

2. Businessmen spend one billion dollars a year filling out federal questionnaires, of which "a large proportion are filed and forgotten."

3. Flood control projects have, upon occasion, cost more than the value of the land protected.

## Buys, Ships

4. The government buys 800,000 pounds of tomato products on the West coast and ships them to the Atlantic coast. It also buys 700,000 pounds of the same products on the East coast and ships them to the Pacific.

5. In one case it cost a half-million dollars to fire a single federal employee. But 26 percent of all federal employees quit the government every year.

The 80-year-old Hoover filed with Congress, at the moment of its convening Wednesday, a progress report disclosing that the commission will begin issuing instalments

of its massive report "within the next few weeks."

## 2-Year Extension

He requested, upon unanimous vote of the commission, that Congress extend for two more years the Reorganization Act. The law, which expires April 1, empowers the President to file plans for the merger, abolition and reorganization of federal agencies.

Such presidential plans become law automatically if neither house of Congress rejects them after 60 days' consideration.

Hoover said "it seems probable" that the commission, which has received \$2,585,059 to date, "will require a modest additional appropriation to complete its work."

He explained that four task forces have been set up since the origi-

nal funds were voted. One of these, created at request of President Eisenhower, is a study of government intelligence activities and the extent, if any, to which they have been infiltrated by subversives—as charged by Sen. McCarthy (R-Wis.).

## Two More Lobbyists

Two more lobbyists registered with the office of the secretary of state Wednesday, bringing the total number for the current session of the Legislature to four. They are W. R. McGeachin of Lincoln, of the Central Electric and Gas Co., and Arthur J. Lamborn Sr., Palmyra, of the Nebraska Osteopathic Assn.

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## Cuts Predicted

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Eisenhower's "grand plan" for a massive overhaul of the nation's highway network drew backing from key senators in both parties, but it appeared likely there would be a big cut in original plans for a 50-billion-dollar program.

Sen. Holland (D-Fla.), a supporter of highway improvement for many years, said he had been advised administration leaders were considering cutting the program in half.

## Purchase Involved Sorting 105 Cups

OGALLALA, Neb. (AP) — Herman Kersenbrock, manager of the Sioux Drug Store here, had to run down the owners of 105 cups as he prepared to close the store and move the stock to the Frank Kersenbrock store nearby.

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## Objectionable Nude Drawing Dropped From Toronto University Art Show

TORONTO (AP) — One of three drawings of nudes, described as objectionable by Mayor Nathan Phillips, was removed Wednesday from an art exhibition at the University of Toronto's Hart House.

But whether it will be permanently banned from display remained to be seen. Joseph McCulley, warden of Hart House, said the drawing was taken down only for consideration by the university's joint faculty-student art committee.

The drawing showed a man and a woman embracing. It was part of a display of 35 pictures by two young Toronto artists, Graham Coughtry and Michael Snow.

"I'm satisfied," the mayor said. "The one taken down was offensive. The other two are only controversial."

One of these also depicts a nude male and female in seated embrace and the other portrays a nude woman holding a bird.

"Hart House is not like a public

library," McCulley said. "It is more in the nature of a private club, and no one unconnected with Hart House has the right to tell us what we will put up or take down."

The 62-year-old mayor visited the show shortly after he was sworn into office Tuesday. He said he acted after he had received complaints that several pictures were offensive.

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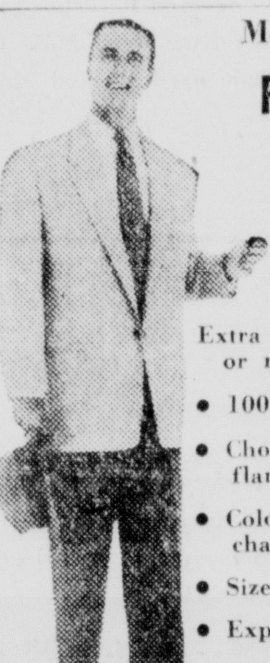
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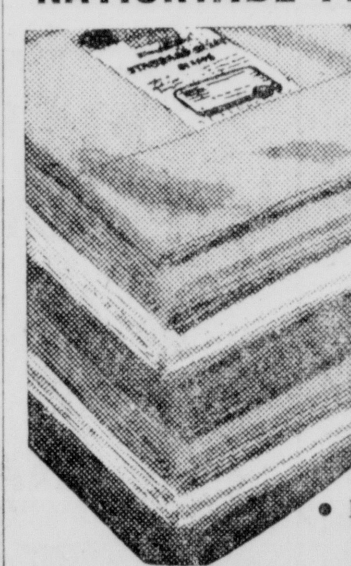
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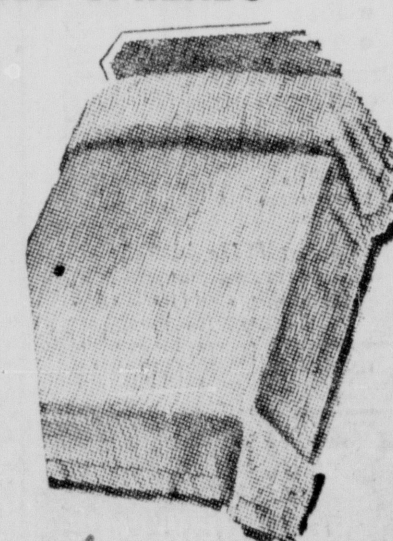


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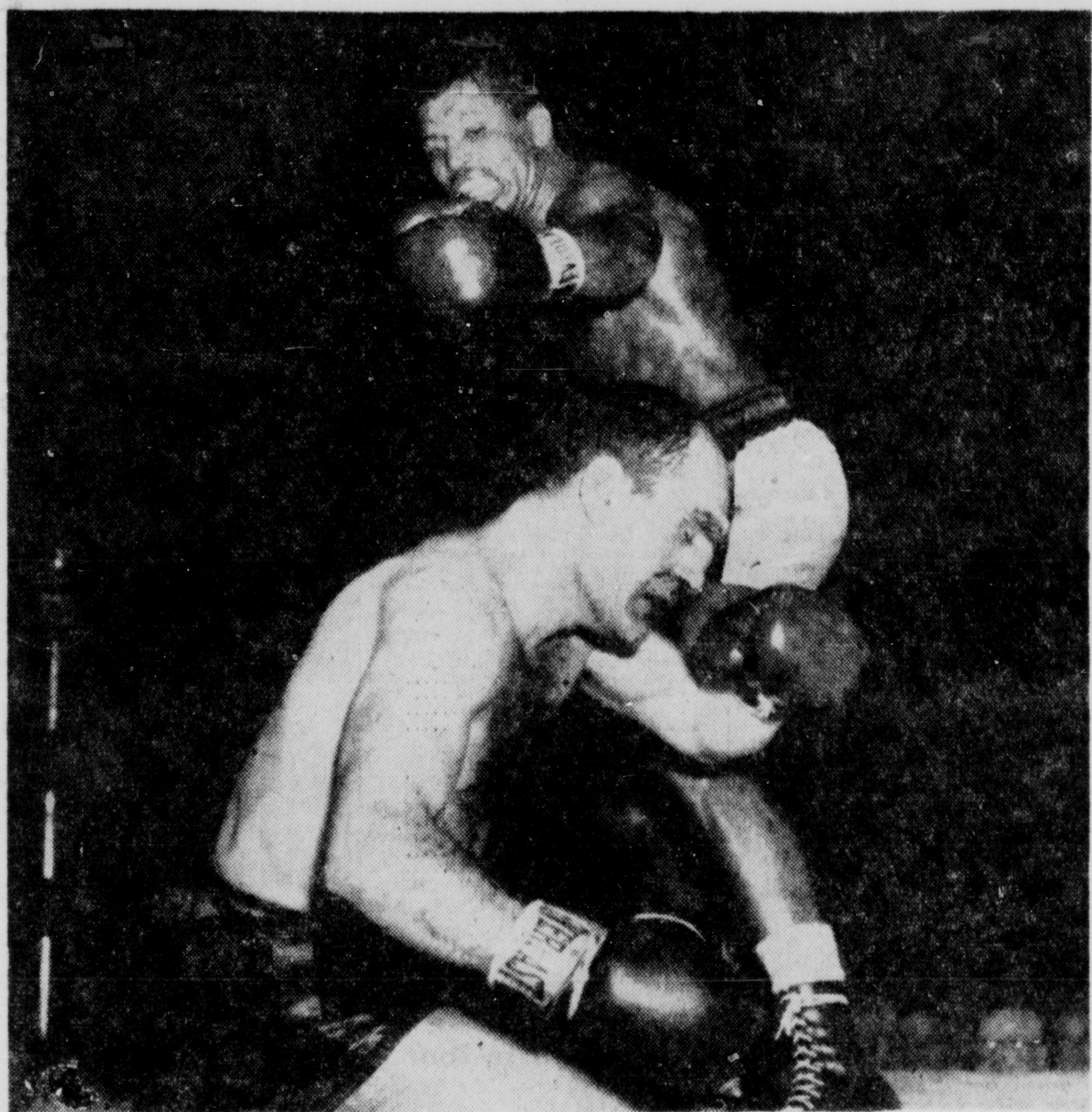
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## KO Starts Ex-Champion Off On Comeback Trail

DETROIT (AP)—Sugar Ray Robinson, rusty and cautious for five rounds, flashed his old lightning-like form and knocked out crude, plodding Joe Rindone of Boston at 1:37 of the sixth round Wednesday night to successfully launch his comeback before a roaring crowd in Olympia Stadium.

## Tonight To Give Links Stern Test

Lincoln High's heralded basketball team tonight opens a week end of spirited cage competition for local teams.

Starting time is 8 p.m. at Wesleyan's Taylor gym.

Lincoln has toyed with four opponents — Fremont, Fairbury, Kearney and Grand Island — and should be in for its first stern test of the 1954-55 season.

Tech has a 3-1 record in Omaha Inter-City League competition. The Maroons beat South, North and Abraham Lincoln of Council Bluffs before losing to Thomas Jefferson of Council Bluffs, 54-43.

Tech and Lincoln figure to be two of the elite teams in Class AA. Their meeting tonight will shed light on the state tournament picture, and will provide a personal duel between two of the taller prep players in Nebraska.

Allen Graves (6-8) of Lincoln will contend with Tech's Bob Bozzer (6-6). Both drew pre-season recognition as probable high school All-Americans.

The remainder of the week end program has Northeast at Hastings and Teachers at Tecumseh Friday, and Lincoln at Sioux City Central and Pawnee City at Teachers Saturday.



ART NEILSON

## Toughie Tag Team Features Mat Card

Although the big match isn't until Thursday, Jan. 13, Lincoln wrestling fans are already buzzing about the next Fairgrounds card Promoter Adam Krieger has lined up.

The Professor has succeeded in signing the world champion tag team for a bout with two German toughies who have proved their Lincoln drawing power.

The combatants are Reggie Lisowski and Art Neilson, the defending champs, and challengers Hans Schmidt and Hans Hermann.

It will be the biggest tag team match ever staged in Lincoln, and is undoubtedly the best ring attraction The Professor has booked at the Fairgrounds since last season.

Neilson and Lisowski are a polished duo. Schmidt and Hermann are meemies, and Schmidt is the one man Lincoln fans love to hate.

In his last Lincoln appearance (May 4, 1954) Schmidt battled United States champion Vern Gagne to a draw before a crowd of 2,601. That's an indication of his popularity.

An indication of the ability of Schmidt and Hermann can be taken from their last appearance as a team in Lincoln (April 6, 1954). They defeated Pat O'Connor and Jack Pesek, two of the mat's strong young men.

Krieger is still arranging supporting bouts for the tag team feature.

## Columbus Decision On IL Due Friday

COLUMBUS, O. (AP)—Decision on Columbus' entry into the International League baseball circuit will be made known Friday morning, it was announced Wednesday.

George M. Trautman, minor league baseball commissioner, called a press conference here at 10 a.m. Friday to announce the decision.

A group of Columbus business men have been negotiating for the International League franchise now held by Ottawa, Canada. Columbus was left without a baseball club when the St. Louis Cardinals transferred the Columbus Redbirds of the American Assn. to Omaha. The Kansas City Athletics own the Ottawa club.

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## College Stars Will Get Major Test From Pros

Otto Graham To Quarterback Hawaii All-Stars In Hula Bowl Game With Post-Season Players

HONOLULU (AP)—If you've wondered how the latest crop of college stars such as Primo Villanueva, a key back on UCLA's undefeated 1954 gridiron machine, can stack up against the likes of such pros as Otto Graham of the Cleveland Browns, you will get the answer Sunday.



**It's Cold Up There, Too**

Bob Kurland (left) and Bus Whitehead of college and Phillips Oilers basketball fame check the roster of the University of Nebraska basketball team Wednesday night at the Whitehead home. Teammates on the Phillips 66 team several years ago, the two tall men got together when Kurland dropped into Lincoln for a convention.

Kurland, an All-American at Oklahoma A.M., is seven feet tall. Whitehead is in business and assists Jerry Bush with the Nebraska cage team. (Star Photo.)

Graham, who passed and plunged the Browns to the 1954 National Football League title against the Detroit Lions, will quarterback the Hawaii All-Stars in the ninth annual Hula Bowl game against college performers from the Rose Bowl, Cotton Bowl and the East-West classic.

**Sunday Targets**  
He'll be passing to Elroy (Crazy-legs) Hirsch, the Los Angeles Rams end, who, like Graham, has announced retirement from the pro ranks. Another target will be Gordy Soltau, pass-catching demon from the San Francisco 49ers.

For points after, and for field goals—steady stuff in the pro game but a bit neglected by colleges—there will be the Browns' Lou (The Toe) Groza. Detroit's Charley Ane will be in the line, playing alongside talent from the military in the territory and stars of Hawaiian town teams.

**Watkins And Dandoy**  
On the collegiate side will be Ohio State halfback Bobby Watkins who scored the second of the Buckeyes' three touchdowns in the 20-7 Rose Bowl win over Southern California and the Trojans' Aramis Dandoy who scampered 86 yards for the Trojan score.

In the line will be California center Matt Hazeltine who raced 44 yards with an intercepted pass for one of the two West scores of San Francisco's East-West game, won by the East 13-12.

Alternating with Hazeltine at center will be Larry Morris of Georgia Tech, 14-6 winner over Arkansas in the Cotton Bowl.

**Line Stalwarts**  
With them in the line will be Jim Salisbury and Jack Ellena of UCLA, Jack Patera of Oregon, Art Walker of Michigan and Buck Lanford of Texas.

Paul Larson of California, the 1954 collegiate champion passer who was contained to the point of embarrassment in the East-West game, will have a chance to show whether he is a pro prospect in the field Graham is leaving.

For his targets he will have his California teammate, Jim Hanifan, also ends Dick Brubaker of Ohio State and Johnny Kerr of Purdue.

**More Duty For Hardy**  
Carroll Hardy, of Colorado, who boomed two punts of more than 50 yards for the West in the Shrine game and showed in the fourth quarter the best running punch of any West man on the field, is expected to see more duty in the Hula Bowl. Dick Moegle of Rice and George Broeder of Iowa will be other backs in action.

The college stars flew over immediately after their Jan. 1 efforts in the States and began practice sessions Monday.

Marine Maj. William Williams, a former pro, is coaching the Hawaii team. The collegians, who will use the West team's offensive with hopes of making it click better, are coached by Jim Lovell of Honolulu.

**Navy Ends Streak**  
ANNAPOLIS, Md. (AP)—Navy's basketball team ended a four-game losing streak Wednesday by trouncing William and Mary 77-56.

## 'Duckless' Duck Season Protest Slated

NORTH PLATTE (AP)—State Game Commission Chairman Don Robertson said Wednesday a Central Flyway committee will take its complaints about the "duckless" duck season to Washington.

Robertson said the group will protest to the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service what he called ignoring of the committee's recommendations made last summer.

Nebraska hunters, particularly those in the western part of the state, have complained that the season this year was too early and that it was over before some of the ducks had left Canada.

The 1954 season started Oct. 8 and ended Dec. 6.

**Alternatives Suggested**  
Tuesday, H. M. Morgan, local representative of the Fish and Wildlife Service, had suggested that the service would go along with whatever dates the state proposed.

Robertson replied Wednesday that the service had ignored recommendations for the 1954 season. Alternatives suggested, he said were:

A 60-day season with a daily limit of five birds and a possession limit of 10, and a closing as late as Jan. 10.

A 75-day season with a daily limit of four and a possession limit of eight, closing as late as Jan. 20.

Zoning the state to provide different seasons for shooters in the east and those in the west or Sandhills.

## Northeast Cops In Wrestle Meet

Jack Furrow of Northeast pinned Jerry Shotbolt in the 167-pound match of the Rocket-Fremont High wrestling match Wednesday afternoon and the Lincoln team slipped into a 22-21 victory over the visitors on the Northeast mat.

Luther Gruenke, Fremont heavyweight, decisioned Modris Richters of Northeast, 2-0, in the final match, but the Tigers needed a pin to win the duel.

**Other results:**  
97 pounds—Ron Wyman (F) pinned Joe Swenson in 3:06.  
114 pounds—Northeast won by forfeit.  
114 pounds—Floyd Colon (NE) decisioned Don Eiden in 6:0.  
122 pounds—Ed Walker (F) pinned Roy Stern in 3:49.  
129 pounds—Gary Smedley (NE) pinned Carl Tomin in 3:11.  
135 pounds—John Nibler (NE) decisioned Dennis Kulhavyk, 3-0.  
140 pounds—Ed Logan (NE) decisioned Gordon Elders, 4-2.  
147 pounds—Bob Brunk (F) decisioned Ron Allison, 3-2.  
156 pounds—Allen McDowell (NE) decisioned Larry Rises, 4-2.



## Giving Them Fitz

By Bill Fitzgerald

## Walt Renter, Sunshine In January

It looks like winter outside and the calendar reads "January," but the Capital City seems to be contracting that typically October ailment known as unhappy footballness.

So for a piece of something lighter you should try Santa Claus or Walt Renter, and since S. C. is home in bed take Renter as a premium substitute.

Walter R. is groundskeeper of Memorial Stadium and is youthful in middle age. He has been guarding the turf for 16 years and in that period has hired more Cornhusker athletes as his helpers than has any other employer in Lincoln.

It has been said of Walt that as a boss he is somewhat more gentle than the whip man on a Roman slave ship and that he is ever ready with a subtle quip to lessen the labor of a Husker who has been digging dandelions or cutting weeds beneath a hot September sun or shoveling snow in February.

Walt looks like the late Ernie

Pyle, talks in the hearty manner of all outdoors men, walks with an impressive robustness and plays baseball worse than anyone you will ever see. He sometimes swings a bat in the spring when the soft breezes deceive him and suggest that he may have acquired the talent of a Musial or Cederdahl during the winter months.

But soon he is convinced of his station as an excellent groundskeeper and poor hitter and retires to his task of making the N. U. baseball park the classic place which it is.

Walt keeps a rating of the former athletes who have worked for him and his latest report reads like this: strongest, King Kong Kahler; best worker, Franny Nagle; the passer and thinker; laziest, Ron Rader, the student manager and history student; hardest to find, Bear Han-shy of sizable tackle memory; most adept painter, Ray Novak, who spilled a bucket of gray paint on his head the first day he worked for W. R.

Walt expects to receive free dental service from football player Bill Maxe when Maxe becomes a dentist because he feels he gave the Minnesota end a start as a grass cutter.

He regards Ray Prochaska, the Husker end coach, as his protégé because big Ray once marked end zones in the Renter fashion.

They say around Schulte Fieldhouse that when Walt retires someday the grass of the Stadium will just shrivel in sorrow and that the field never will be green again.

Stung into action when Rindone landed a left and right to the head, Robinson tore after the 28-year-old Bostonian and connected with a series of roundhouse blows to the head.

A right sent Rindone to the canvass, head down and hurt. He slowly climbed up, as though a 500-pound safe was on his burly shoulders, but it was too late.

Referee Johnny Weber reached the count of 10 and signaled that Sugar Ray was the winner in his first fight since June, 1952—a period of 30 months.

### Seeking Title

It was an explosive victory for the dapper New Yorker, who is seeking to regain the middleweight championship from titleholder Carl (Bobo) Olson.

For those few, brief seconds, Robinson looked like the Sugar Ray of old—sharp, swift, ruthless. Rindone, who hadn't fought in seven months, offered little in the way of an attack and was unable to ward off Robinson's wild, finishing flurry.

Sugar Ray, weighing a lithe 159 to Rindone's 163½, was unimpressive in the first five rounds. He eyed Rindone as though he were Rocky Marciano.

As a crowd of 11,974 urged him on, Robinson tried his combinations to the head but repeatedly missed the target.

### Went Too Fast

Robinson hardly mused his black, wavy curls in the first round as he reddened Rindone's beefy face. When the former champ opened up momentarily in the second round, his handlers bounced up from their corner stools shrieking: "Cut it out. Cut it out." Apparently, they didn't want Robinson to go too fast.

Rindone, who suffered his fourth straight knock-out, perked up in the third and slugged toe to toe, briefly but briskly, forcing Robinson to hold.

Action slowed through the fourth and fifth and the crowd, largest in Olympia in several years, began to alternately clap and boo. At the start of the sixth, Robinson seemed miffed when he missed several shots to the head.

### Made First Move

It was at this point that Rindone made his first real move. He lunged at Robinson, connecting to the head.

Sugar Ray, without hesitation, struck back, firing lefts and rights in almost reckless abandon. Rindone took six, seven, eight to the head and body, then crashed to the floor.

It was Robinson's 132nd victory compared to only 3 losses and 2 draws. For Rindone, it was his 14th setback against 33 victories and 3 draws.

## Basketball Scores

STATE HIGH SCHOOLS	
CATHOLIC TOURNEY	
Dwight Assumption 20	Lincoln Holy Family 27
Beatrice St. Joseph 28	Lincoln St. Marys 27
Falls City Sacred Heart 51	O'Neill St. Marys 45
Class B	
Columbus St. Bonaventure 45	Fremont St. Pats 41
Omaha Holy Name 2, forfeit	Lincoln Cathedral 6
Hastings St. Cecilia 73	Omaha St. Joseph 54
M-B-N TOURNEY	
Albion 45	St. Paul 41
St. Edward 49	Newman Grove 39
York St. Josephs 54	Shelby 44
Ussick 45	Gresham 41
LITTLE SIX TOURNEY	
Chadron Prep 69	Harrison 28
Chadron 47	Hay Springs 35
WESTON INVITATIONAL	
Weston 59	Consolation Parque 45
Snyder 19	Cedar Bluffs 47
COLLEGES	
Navy 77	Wm. & Mary 46
Cornell 69	Columbia 55
Norrell Dame 83	Butler 58
Richmond 92	Villanova 82
Marquette-Macon 78	Gallaudet 68
Adrian 77	Agincourt 66
Quinnipiac 75	Detroit Ind. of Tech 51
Miami (Ohio) 89	St. Marshall 74
Duke 81	Temple 64
St. Anthony Abbey 77	Catawba 62
Dartmouth 86	Cornell 54
Defiance 86	Ashtand 75
Hamline 95	Wash. St. 58
Texas A&I 97	Pan American 40
Albright 71	Elizabeth 68
Gettysburg 106	West. Union 68
Kentucky Wes. 103	Marion 93
Kentucky St. 72	Jackson Miss 69
West. Illinois 95	Michigan 74
Allen Bradley 82	Lewis Coll. 69
Concord 91	Pitt 67
George Wash. 74	Georgetown DC 35
Fortham 61	St. Francis 59
Pennsylvania 42	St. Francis 59
Connecticut 102	N. Hampshire 84
Dartmouth 72	St. Anselm 47
Tufts 90	Massachusetts 76
Calvin 77	Alma 62
Arkansas Tech 81	Miss Southern 69
Penn State 94	Bucknell 45
Dickinson 73	Junata 63
Manfield Tex. 94	Brookport 71
Manchester 96	Earlham 70
Valparaiso 66	Ball State 63
St. Joseph's Ind 75	Franklin 61
Huntington 95	Cedarvale 66
Wash & Jeff. 66	St. Vincent 40
Detroit 92	Loyola Chi 78
Lehigh 85	Rutgers 72
Wagner 105	St. Joseph 71
St. Peter's NJ 66	Newark Rutgers 42
Utica 70	Harpor 59
Mohlaberg 92	St. Josephs, Pa. 80
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## Strong Broncs First Loop Foe For Peru With Wesleyan Next

Lincoln Star Special  
PERU—The Peru State College Bobcats open the conference basketball race Saturday night and at least it can be said the Peruvians are not afraid of doing things the hard way.

Coming to Peru for the league opener will be the strong Hastings College Broncos. Led by high scoring Chuck Stickle, the Broncos at the present time are 10 game winners.

It was Robinson's 132nd victory compared to only 3 losses and 2 draws. For Rindone, it was his 14th setback against 33 victories and 3 draws.

## Movies Distasteful To Soccer Player

MILAN, Italy (AP)—If Juan Alberto Schiaffino, ace South American soccer player, never goes to the movies again, you can't blame him.

Until the movies proved differently, Schiaffino led all Italy in scoring. The Montevideo star now playing with league-leading Milan, had scored nine goals—or so he thought. Gunnar Nordahl, veteran Swedish player who is his teammate, had eight.

When they showed the movies of the game two Sundays ago, it developed Nordahl actually had deflected into the net a fast shot that had been credited as a goal for Schiaffino. As a result, they changed places in the standings.

But that wasn't all.

Last Sunday, neither Schiaffino nor Nordahl was credited with a goal in Milan's 4-3 victory. Then came the movies. Sure enough, one sequence showed Nordahl's knee deflecting into the net a goal originally credited to a teammate.

Until the Late Late Show, the official standings are Nordahl 10 goals, Schiaffino 8.

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# Crosby Urges \$39 Million For U Of N

## ... Delivers His Budget Message To Legislature

Gov. Robert Crosby recommended Wednesday that the University of Nebraska be allowed to spend between 39 and 40 million dollars in the 1955-57 biennium.

Of this sum, \$17,800,000 would come from the general fund, which derives a major portion of its support from the state property tax. The remainder of the university's budget would come from student fees, dormitory revenue, federal aid and miscellaneous sources.

University officials had asked for \$18,830,000 from the general fund this time, compared to \$15,000,000 appropriated from this source two years ago.

### \$34 Millions Spent

The total which the 1953 legislature budgeted for the university was \$36,420,000 for the 24-month period ending June 30. Actual expenditures, based on the experience of the past 18 months, are expected to total slightly more than \$34,000,000.

Gov. Crosby, who leaves office Thursday, included his recommendations for the university in his budget message to the Legislature, delivered Wednesday morning.

The incoming governor, Victor E. Anderson, will submit his budget recommendations later in the

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month. His recommendations are expected to follow those of his predecessor, with a few exceptions.

### \$32 Asked For Board

Crosby recommended a budget of \$32,618,000 for the board of control, which has supervision over 17 state institutions, including the mental hospitals, penitentiary, and reformatories. The board had asked for \$32,651,000, and received \$28,047,000 two years ago.

The board of control share of the general fund under the outgoing governor's recommendations would be \$13,436,000.

The highway department, with the biggest budget of all, would have between 55 and 56 millions to spend, if the legislature failed to extend the sixth cent of state gasoline tax, in effect since 1953. Only four millions of this would come from the general fund, and would go for support of the state patrol and the motor vehicle division.

### Gas Tax Question

If the Legislature decides to continue the state gasoline tax at six cents a gallon, the total which the highway department could spend, with matching federal aid, would jump to between 70 and 75 millions.

Gov. Crosby recommended \$32,566,000 for state assistance for the 1955-57 period, including \$13,296,000 from the general fund and \$19,238,500 from federal aid.

The four normal schools would receive a total of \$7,179,000, including \$3,624,000 from the general fund and the remainder from fees, rentals and other sources. The last

legislature allowed \$7,047,000 for the teachers colleges.

### Could Be Record

Altogether, the retiring governor budgeted \$194,000,000 for the two-year period beginning next July. But if the Legislature extends the gasoline tax at six cents per gallon, and re-enacts the half-mill levy for the school retirement fund, the grand total would be around 215 millions, setting an ew record for Nebraska.

The governor hinted that appropriations might have been cut a little too sharply two years ago when the theme of his inaugural message was "restraint."

He recalled that he had defined "restraint" in 1953 as meaning that only the essential services of state government should be maintained, with no expansion of state government except in the case of a clearly demonstrated need.

### Saving Reflected

"It worked," he says, with a resultant over-all saving of \$1,641,493 in the state's share of property taxes during his administration. It was the first state property tax reduction in 12 years, he points out.

"However," he continued "in some respects it was not a happy role which I assigned to myself two years ago. I cut the budget requests of the agencies and bore the ill will of the numerous groups which have a special interest in those agencies. The legislature in most instances increased the amounts which I had recommended, thus winning the plaudits of those same special-interest groups."

In his suggested budget for 1955-57, Crosby said he has recommended for the agencies "the amounts of money of which each can make good use in the public interest."

"I am thinking of the amount of money needed to permit a reasonable performance of the duties which the legislature has assigned to the agencies," he explained.

### \$58 Millions New Funds

The Crosby budget listed general fund recommendations total-

ing \$62,225,000. Unexpected balances carried forward from 1953-55 would provide \$3,867,000, leaving \$58,358,000 in "new money" to be raised.

This is approximately \$29 million a year. About 65 per cent of this would have to be raised with the state levy, if other sources of revenue for the general fund continue at their current level.

The levy this year of state general fund purposes was 6.69 mills, or \$6.69 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation.

### Stoler Will Become

#### Dawes County Agent

CHADRON, Neb., (AP) — Roland Stoler, Indianola, will take over in Dawes County Jan. 15 as the new county extension agent. He is now at Lexington taking training for the position here. Stoler succeeds Harry Kuska, who is transferring to Oshkosh, Garden County, as agent.

### Crash In Duplicate

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. (AP) — Two identical rear-end collisions occurred at the same spot near here within 90 minutes. In the first, police reported Norman L. Shipman's car collided with the rear end of one driven by Albert Hallum, 21. Less than an hour and a half later an identical accident happened at the same spot, involving 20-year-old Alfred Lee Staddard and John P. Lescoe, 22. All four men are Ft. Carson, Colo., soldiers.

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### Council Approves Naming of Beers

CHADRON, Neb., (AP) — The Chadron City Council approved employment of Robert Beers, who was in the State Safety Patrol for 17 years and reached the rank of captain, as the new Chadron chief of police.

Beers, now an investigator at the Cornhusker Ordnance Plant at Grand Island, takes over here on

Feb. 1. Vernon Story resigned as chief in November, having been a candidate for sheriff of Dawes County. He has stayed on since as acting chief.

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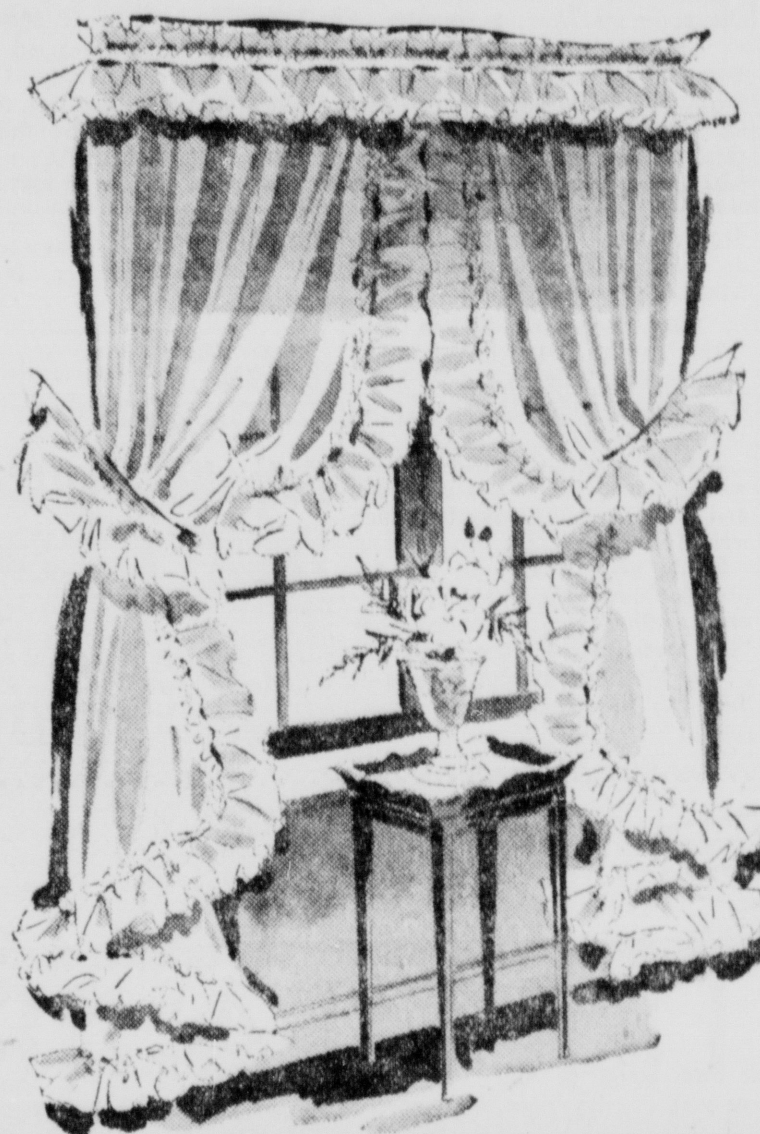
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# Two Men, Pretty Woman, Steal The Show In Senate As Congress Convenes

WASHINGTON (INS) — Law-makers presented a picture of one big jolly family reunion Wednesday as the 84th Congress convened.

Two beloved men and a pretty woman stole the show in the Senate. In the House, a sudden but minor illness focused attention on 69-year-old Cliff Cleveland (R-O).

Sen. Alben W. Barkley, the 77-year-old former "Veep" who served in Congress for 40 years—more than 25 of them in the Senate—won a standing ovation from his colleagues as he sat down to sign the register.

The Kentucky Democrat, always a good showman, was the first of the new senators to "sign in" and receive a handshake from Vice President Richard M. Nixon—the man who succeeded him in the nation's second highest office.

**Biggest Ovation**

The Senate's next scene stealer was its only woman member, Sen. Margaret Chase Smith, (R-Me) who got the biggest ovation of all when she was sworn in for her second term. A bright red rose and pearls adorned her blue dress but they were outshone by her happy smile.

Senate drama touched its peak with the election of the highly respected Sen. Walter F. George (D-Ga.), as president pro tempore.

As soon as George, who will be 76 on Jan. 29, was sworn into office, Nixon shook his hand, gave him the gavel and invited him to preside. Then Nixon stepped down from the rostrum and joined in the applause for the honored senator, who sported a bright red tie.

Independent Senator Wayne Morse of Oregon sat on the Democrat side of the aisle.

The one-time Republican assumed the seat with the Democrats last August and his vote this session insures them control of the Senate.

**Joins Call**

Cleveland collapsed half an hour before the House convened and it was feared for a time that his illness, diagnosed as a stomach disorder, would sadden the opening ceremonies. However, he responded to treatment and was able to enter his name in the first House quorum call.

The House opened with 427 of its 434 members present, reciting the Lord's Prayer in unison. It convened with one vacancy due to the recent death of Rep. Dwight Rogers (D-Fla.).

The House had 16 women—the largest number of women members in history. All 16 wore cor-sages.

Many offices in both House and Senate looked like florist shops. There were so many bouquets in the quarters of freshman Sen. George Bender (R-Ohio) that Sen. George D. Aiken (R-Vt.), who glanced in as he passed the door, quipped, "Are they selling flowers here?"

**Cattle High**

CHICAGO (P)—Prime cattle brought the highest price in nearly two years at the Union Stock Yards Wednesday.

In a strong to \$1.00 a hundred pounds higher market, three loads of high prime steers sold at \$34 and \$34.25 a hundred pounds. That was the best price for steers since February, 1953, when \$34.50 was paid.

## Oral Arguments In Truck Weight Case Scheduled

Oral arguments will be heard in the State Supreme Court Thursday morning in a case that will determine the constitutionality of the Nebraska law restricting truck weights.

District Judge John H. Kuns, Kimball, held that the law is unconstitutional in a North Platte suit last September. In his decision, he said sections of the law are vague and uncertain.

**State Appeals**

The state appealed the Kuns ruling to the Supreme Court.

The original suit was filed by the state last Aug. 2 when Henry C. Luttrell, a Colorado trucker, was arrested at the North Platte weighing station on a charge that he was operating a tractor and semi-trailer on Nebraska highways with over gross axle weight.

A brief in support of the Kuns decision was filed by the Nebraska Motor Carriers Assn., Inc., as a friend of the court Tuesday.

**Applies to One Station**

The North Platte decision has been applied only to the Highway Department weighing station in Lincoln County.

The limitation on truck weights was designed to protect highways and bridges from having too much weight imposed.

In its brief filed with the Supreme Court, the Attorney General's office has contended that "the investment by the taxpayers . . . in the highway and bridges in the state" is endangered by Kuns' ruling.

## Guy Crook, 69, Engineering Firm Owner, Is Dead

FALLS CITY, Neb. (P)—Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon for Guy A. Crook, 69, owner of the Monarch Engineering Co.

A University of Nebraska graduate, Crook served on the local board of education for several years.

Surviving are his wife and two sons, Dr. Guy H. and William H., both of Falls City.

## R. V. Westover Estate Inheritance Tax \$648

Inheritance taxes of \$648.85 in the \$201,606.37 gross-valued estate of Richard V. Westover, Lincoln businessman who died Oct. 3, 1953, have been assessed by the Lancaster County Court. Cherry County's share of the tax is \$566.43.

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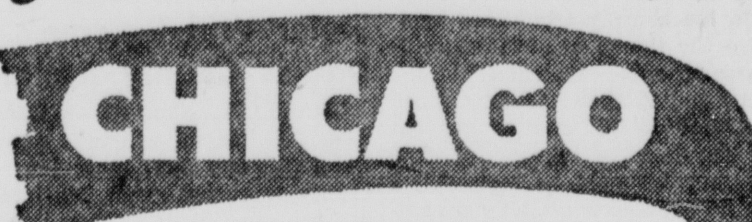
The plane was seized on an information filed at Topeka, Kas., by Assistant U. S. District Attorney Milton P. Beach, who acted on a request by the Collector of Customs at Miami, Fla.

## Falling Tree Kills Nelson

NEWPORT, Neb. (P)—Funeral services will be held Friday at Lyons for Ralph Nelson, 45, killed in a tree-falling accident.

A tree fell on Nelson as he ran to get a wedge. The accident occurred on the Louis Hall farm, Keya Paha County Attorney Thomas Weddell said.

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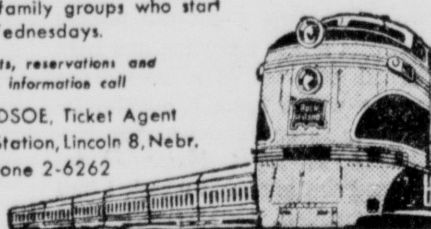
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# U.S. Mishandling Charged In \$1 Million Tungsten Contracts Loss

WASHINGTON (AP) — Congressional investigators Wednesday accused federal purchasers of mishandling, and some Thailand business interests of manipulating, tungsten contracts which they said cost the U. S. government \$1,027,709 in overpayments.

Their report said the government took a loss by paying above-market prices for the tungsten, required for America's stockpile of strategic metals.

But whether any laws were violated, the report added, is up to the Justice Department to decide.

The findings were issued by a House Government Operations sub-

committee headed by Rep. Brownson (R-Ind.). Last year the group held a series of hearings on the now-suspended contracts, which were negotiated in 1951-52 and involved, the subcommittee said, nearly 17 million dollars.

**No Collusion**

The General Service Administration, which handled the contracts, said there was no evidence of any collusion by GSA employees, and declared the government got "good tungsten" for its money.

The subcommittee declared there were violations of each of the contracts with the Mae Lama Mining Co., the Yip In Tsoi Co., Ltd., the U-Tong Thai Co., Ltd., and the Pradit Trade and Industry Co.

The report said the Mae Lama Co. did not deliver from its mines the amounts of tungsten as specified in its contract, but got ore for the contract from other sources after the world market price dropped below the contract price.

**'Conspired'**

It said the company also "conspired" with a Capt. Somwang Saranas, managing director of the U-Tong Thai Co., "paying him more than \$34,000 allegedly for the purpose of having Saranas exercise his influence with the EPS (GSA) representative in Bangkok to keep the Mae Lama contract in force in the face of defaulted deliveries."

It said bribery was "possibly involved" but that Saranas denied paying this money in turn to any one else.

Yip In Tsoi Co. was accused of shipping ore from mines other than specified in its contract, while U-Tong Thai Co. was listed as "not a producer of ore although all contracts were to have been with producers who could be expected through capital investment to further develop their mines and thereby insure a continuous supply of tungsten for the United States."

## Marine Scoffs At Moscow Swap Offer

SEOUL (AP) — Cpl. George Choolakian, 19, New York born U. S. Marine sought by Moscow as part of an exchange for two American prisoners held in Russia, said Wednesday "I just wouldn't go."

The Marine said in an interview by telephone from his Marine air base that he "would definitely say no" to the swap proposed by Moscow in a note to Washington Dec. 31.

The Russians demanded Choolakian, a sister and a brother and eight other children of Russian parents in exchange for the two Americans. Choolakian also has a second sister in the United States, but apparently she was not included in the Russian note.

Choolakian, who has been a Marine for 18 months and has been in Korea for five months, was surprised by the Soviet proposal.

Choolakian said he had not seen his mother, father, one brother and one sister, "in six or seven years, since they went over there."

## H-Blast Threat

CHICAGO (INS) — Two University of Illinois scientists warned that radioactivity from hydrogen-bomb explosions could wipe all human life from the earth.

Botanist Eugene Rabinowitch and physiologist Henry Quastler said that the most dangerous aspect of the H-bomb is the long-range damage to heredity.



Triple Amputee Displays Spunk

A triple amputee at the age of 13 months—due to a rare blood circulation condition which necessitated amputation of her left leg, right foot and right hand—Constance DeStasi, now 32 months old, proudly displays her ability to walk on artificial legs for her father, Pasquale. Constance displayed her spunk at a Boston rehabilitation center where she was fitted for the artificial leg a year ago. (UP Telephoto)

## Pleads Innocent

HOLLYWOOD (INS) — Norman Gilmore, 21, driver of the car in which Dennis Crosby, 20-year-old twin son of Bing Crosby, was arrested on a drunk charge last Sunday, pleaded not guilty to a drunk driving charge.

Gilmore asked Municipal Judge O. Benton Worley for a jury trial and it was scheduled for Jan. 19. Young Crosby's case was dismissed Monday and he left shortly afterward for Fort Ord, Calif., to start two years of Army service.

## Frank W. Walter Is Dead; Retired Telephone Worker

Lincoln Star Special

BEATRICE, Neb. — Funeral services for Frank W. Walter, 74, retired telephone worker, will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday at Griffiths Funeral Home here. He died in a local hospital.

Born in Maquon, Ill., he moved to Crab Orchard in 1885.

Mr. Walter started working for the Lincoln Telephone and Telegraph Co. in 1911 as an installer and repair man. He retired in 1945, after 34 years of service.



Walter

He was a member of the Beatrice Christian Church and a charter member of the Frank H. Woods Independent Telephone Pioneer Association.

He is survived by his wife, Myrtle; daughters, Mrs. Roberta Grauer of Des Moines, Ia., Mrs. Jeanette E. James of Wymore, and Mrs. Juanita Shott of Wymore; brother, Robert L. of Colorado Springs, Colo.; sister, Mrs. Mary Tanning of Boise, Idaho; and seven grandchildren.

## Ousted Guatemala Leader Asks For Swiss Citizenship

ZERMATT, Switzerland (AP) — Jacobs Arbenz Guzman, who was run out of the presidency of Guatemala in an anti-Communist revolt last summer, announced he is negotiating with Swiss authorities for recognition of his Swiss citizenship.

Swiss lawyers said he appeared to have a fair chance of success. If the claim succeeds, Arbenz, who ranked as a colonel in Guatemala, is subject to immediate call-up for two years of training in Switzerland's citizen army.

The 45-year-old ex-president arrived at this winter sports center at the foot of the Matterhorn, accompanied by his attractive wife, Maria, and their three children—Arabella 15, Leonore 12 and Jacobo Jr. 8.

Arbenz' claim to Swiss citizenship is based on the Swiss nationality of his father, a chemical engineer who emigrated from Zurich at the turn of the century.

## Mid-East Defense Alliance Probable

ISTANBUL, Turkey (AP) — Premier Adnan Menderes and an official party of 20 will fly to Baghdad Thursday in a top level effort to promote closer relations between Turkey and the Arab states.

Turkey and her Western Allies hope Iraq, Egypt and other Arab nations will join forces in a Middle East defense grouping based on the new Turkish-Pakistani alliance.

Prospects of alliance look the best in years in the traditionally unstable but strategic crossroads area of three continents.

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## Denver Man's Kin Ask Lincoln Help; Missing 3 Weeks

Relatives of a Denver, Colo., man—missing since Dec. 10—sought for possible leads of his whereabouts Wednesday in Lincoln.

Dep. Sheriff Les Hasson said Everett Lietzan, 31, an egg buyer, reportedly was in Lincoln on Dec. 9 on business and visited his parents at Hollandsberg, Kan., on Dec. 10.

From his parents' home, he intended to return to Denver, but has been missing since then.

Hasson said no leads locally have been developed on Lietzan, who is 6-2, weighs 160 pounds, has dark, wavy hair. License plates of his car are Colo. P-18-287.

Lietzan has a wife and six-week-old baby in Denver.

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## 'Careful Consideration' Pledged By Budget Head Bridenbaugh

The new head of the Legislature's budget committee, Sen. Hal Bridenbaugh of Dakota City, said Wednesday that "every single request will receive "very careful consideration."

He said the committee will visit each state institution as early in the session as possible.

He said he believes the Penitentiary, a Board of Control institution "has had too much publicity" lately.

"If something is wrong, it should be taken care of by the officials who have the authority to do it in a business-like manner," he declared.

### The Target

The Penitentiary has been the target of considerable criticism in two recent much publicized reports. A citizens' committee set up last summer by Gov. Crosby reported in November that it found evidence of brutality and mis-

conduct on the part of prison personnel, and deplorable conditions in the institution's jail or "hole."

Sanford Bates, nationally known penologist, reported the segregation building was unworthy of the state of Nebraska, and said the treatment program is woefully inadequate.

The new budget chairman is starting his fourth term in the Legislature. As head of the appropriations committee he succeeds Arthur Carmody of Trenton, who did not return to the Unicameral this year.

Sen. Monroe Bixler of Harrison, beginning his second term as a state lawmaker, will head the revenue committee.

The complete list of committee assignments:

**Agriculture**—Nelson, chairman; Cramer, Moulton, Ruhnke, Bahensky, Morrison, Foote, Purdy, Thompson.

**Banking, Commerce and Insur-**



Bixler Bridenbaugh

**ance**—Larkin, chairman; Kotouc, Perry, Klaver, John Adams, Beaver, Swanson, Thomas Adams, Bedford.

**Budget**—Bridenbaugh, chairman; Liebers, McHenry, Vogel, Shultz, Diers, Pizer, Peterson, Fenske.

**Education**—Cramer, chairman;

Nelson, Moulton, Ruhnke, Bahen-

sky, Morrison, Foote, Purdy, Thompson.

**Enrollment and Review**—McGinley (only member).

**Government**—Klaver, chairman; Larkin, Anderson, Bixler, Otto, Syas, Cole, McGinley, Person.

**Intergovernmental Co-operation**—Vogel, chairman; Peterson, Tvrdik, Kotouc, Anderson.

**Judiciary**—Martin, chairman; Metzger, Lee, Brower, John Adams, Perry.

**Labor and Public Welfare**—Syas, chairman; Larkin, Anderson, Bixler, Otto, Klaver, Cole, McGinley, Person.

**Miscellaneous Appropriations and Claims**—Aufenkamp, chairman; Thomas Adams, Hoffmeister, Burney, Beaver, Bedford, Swanson.

**Public Health and Miscellaneous Subjects**—Person, chairman; Hoff-

meister, Otto, Brower, Anderson, Aufenkamp, Cole.

**Public Works**—Moulton, chairman; Nelson, Cramer, Ruhnke, Bahensky, Morrison, Foote, Purdy, Thompson.

**Revenue**—Bixler, chairman; Metzger, Tvrdik, Hubka, McGinley, Martin, Lee, Burney, Syas.

**Rules**—Metzger, chairman; Brower, Klaver, Perry, Otto.

### Board Okays \$18,000 For New School Site

SCOTTSBLUFF, Neb. (U) — The board of education has agreed to pay \$18,000 for a 10-acre site for a new elementary school on the west side of Scottsbluff. Plans are to call for a bond election to finance construction next April 5.

## Fast Passage Of Gas Tax Distribution Bill Is Urged

Gov. Crosby recommended to the Legislature Wednesday that it quickly pass a bill providing for distribution of state gasoline tax funds to the counties according to the formula used last July until a new formula is devised.

Frank B. Heintze, retiring state treasurer who goes out of office Thursday, has withheld distribution of gasoline tax money to the counties since October because of litigation pending in District Court over the formula.

Lancaster and Douglas Counties contend they "lost" considerable money because the 1950 census figures and the latest motor vehicle registration figures were not applied to the formula by the state treasurer's office as soon as available.

### County Suit

Heintze countered with a suit naming all 93 counties as defendants and asking the court to inter-

pret the law setting up the distribution formula.

Gov. Crosby told the Legislature at the conclusion of his budget message that an emergency situation exists in some of the counties.

He said he had requested preparation of an emergency bill permitting the treasurer to resume distribution for the time being on the basis of the formula used in July, 1954.

"This would ease the situation and allow the counties to receive some of the money which they badly need until you have time to enact permanent legislation," Crosby commented.



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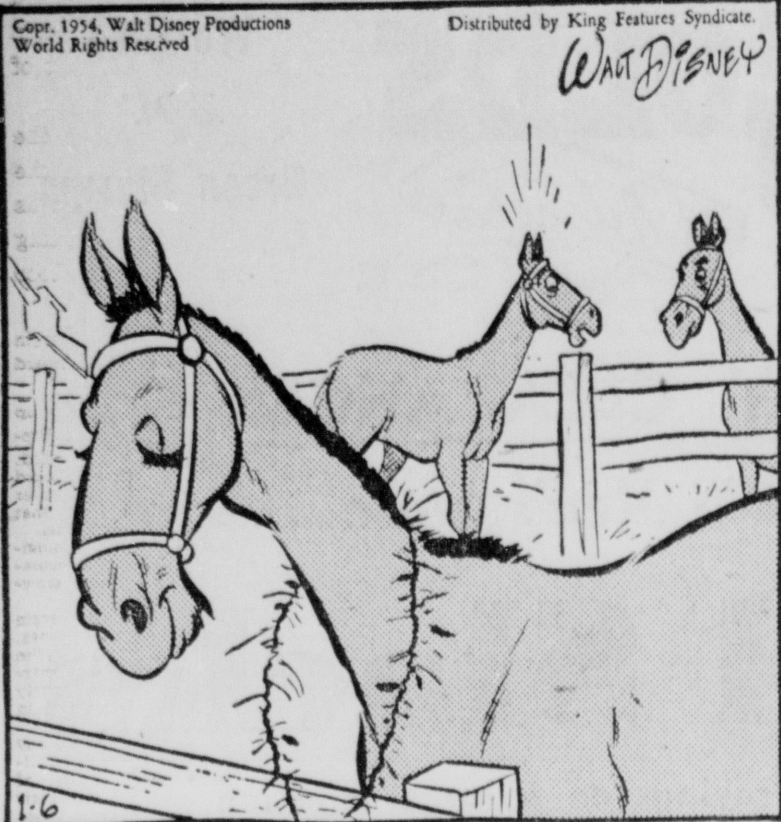
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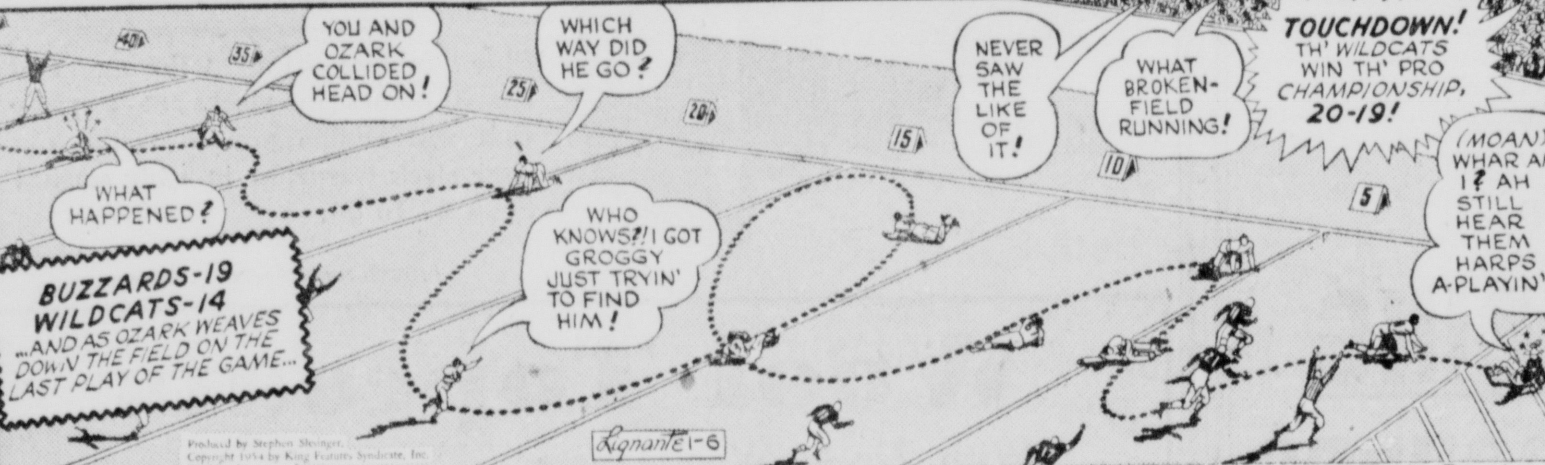
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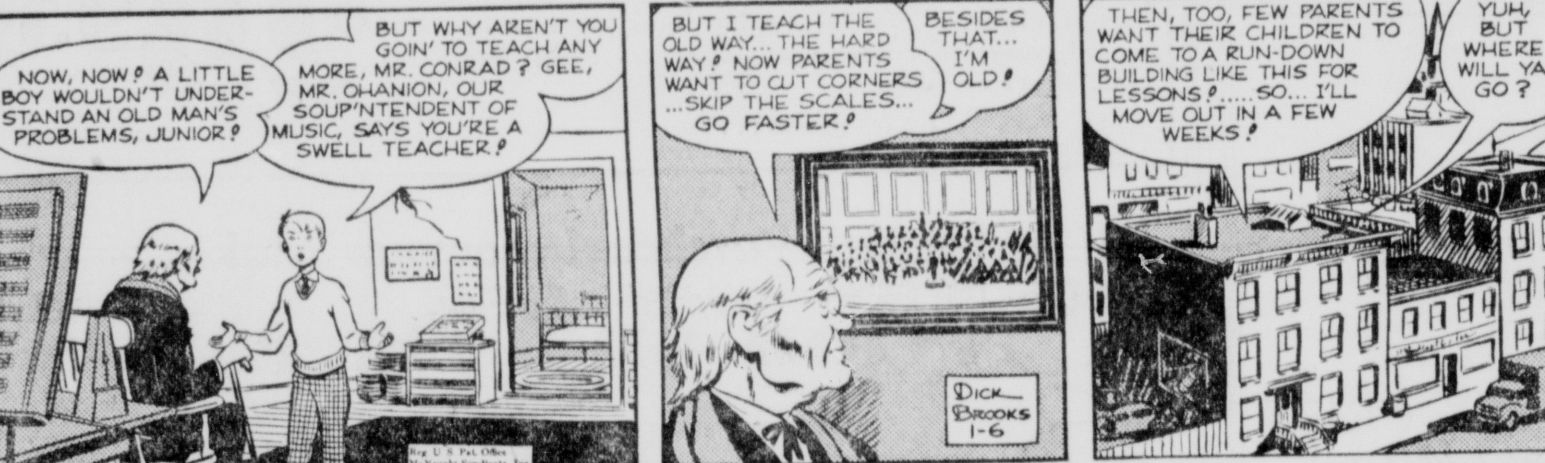
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(Distributed by International News Service)  
Only question about our foreign policy is what time does the boat sail?

That line is packaged for export with

Satisfies You -yet never rich or filling

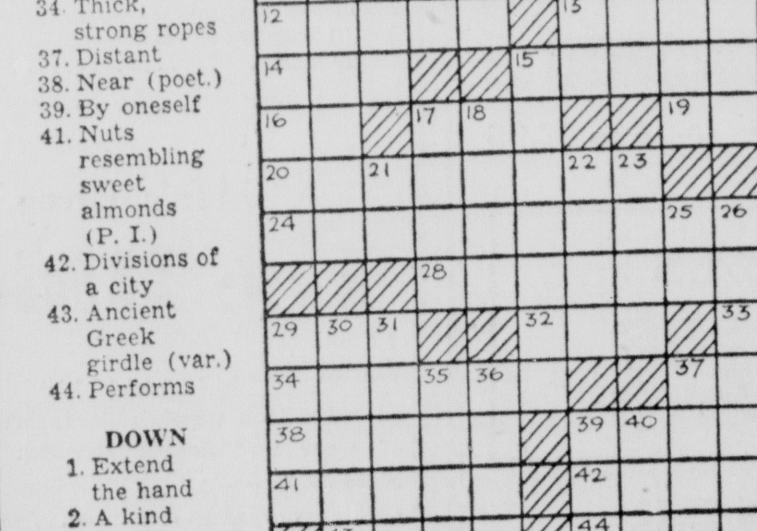
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ACROSS

1. A smart blow
2. Spider nets
3. Make amends
4. Angry
5. Cereal seed
6. A stop watch
7. Border of a garment
8. Ancient Egyptian city
9. Close to
10. Neighbor (dial)
11. Wrath
12. Scraping devices
13. Curative
14. Cajole
15. Resort
16. Bend the head in greeting
17. Behold!
18. Thick, strong ropes
19. Distant
20. Near (poet.)
21. By oneself
22. Nuts resembling sweet almonds (P. I.)
23. Divisions of a city
24. Ancient Greek girdle (var.)
25. Performs

DOWN

1. Extend the hand
2. A kind of soil
3. Keel-billed cuckoo



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Here's How To Work It  
One letter simply stands for another in this example A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.  
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Yesterday's Cryptogram: MOST PEOPLE SULK IN STAGE COACHES; I ALWAYS TALK-SMITH.

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BRINGING UP FATHER By George McManus









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STAN DELAPLANE'S  
**POSTCARD**

While modern science marches briskly in every direction, I find that nothing much has been done in the matter of typewriter ribbons. Also unmarried ladies, come to think of it.

Come to think of it, I suppose no journalist has given as much thought to unmarried ladies as I have. There are 8,000,000 ladies without husbands in the U.S. I have campaigned on this subject. So have others. The problem with unmarried ladies is they are not stable. When I campaigned a few years ago, several million got married.

What happens but a lot of small fry grew up and began hollering: "What about us?"

Some of the ladies turned in their old husbands and wanted new ones. All this brought the round figures up to 8,000,000 again. I do not see how we can get anywhere this way.

About typewriter ribbons, now. Nobody has found a satisfactory way to change typewriter ribbons. In fact I do not know who makes typewriter ribbons. But I suspect it is someone who has never seen a typewriter.

You change a typewriter ribbon by winding up the old ribbon on one spool. You take this out and throw it away. The new ribbon comes in an attractive box. You open it and put the new spool on the empty spindle.

Now you must hook up the end of the new spool to the other empty spool.

The end of the typewriter ribbon has a little metal hook. It is of no earthly good and why they keep putting it there, I will never know. Because it is no good, the empty spool has a little spear-like prong. The idea is that you press the ribbon against this and spear it.

The problem, of course, is that the spool is so narrow you cannot possibly get your finger in close to the spear. You poke it in with the butt end of a pencil. If the spear catches the ribbon in one time out of 10, you are a ruddy genius.

Meantime, the ribbon inks your fingers. Slips loose and whips you

in the face. When you finally have it hooked, you find that you hooked it backwards. Instead of winding up the ribbon, it unwinds.

Well, this is no perfect world. I simply wonder how such things got left behind with the ox carts in this age of progress.

My typewriter spaces automatically. The carriage thunders into position. But come the day of ribbon-changing and I am covered with ink and into the tool box. The point I would like to make is that most of the world's typewriter ribbon changing is done by unmarried ladies. Secretaries.

It seems a mighty odd coincidence. Possibly cruel and unusual punishment and therefore unconstitutional. Possibly even some unmarried ladies are driven to thoughtless marriage just to get away from ribbon-changing. After getting well inked, they burst into tears and marry the first man who asks. After the ink wears off, they are back asking for a replacement.

This leaves a tremendous amount of room for improvement in the world. A challenge for the year of 1955.

Less changing of typewriter ribbons, less changing of husbands. Less changing of husbands, less work for the divorce lawyers. Less work for the legal secretaries, less changing of ribbons. Easy?

McNaught Syndicate, Inc.

**Juvenile Law**

HOUSTON, Tex. (AP)—Police Chief Jack Heard has appointed Walter Reid, 7, "chief of police" at the St. Joseph Hospital pediatric ward. The tot has his own "traffic tickets" that can be issued for: "Lack of thoughtfulness; carelessness in traffic; failing to smile; not saying your prayers; not being a good sport." The boy, a patient in the hospital, is an ardent admirer of police.

**Scheduled Reading**

LANSING, Mich. (AP)—Only newcomers to the State Library even look up now when an alarm clock shatters the quiet of the reading room. Oldtimers know it is just a reminder for Mrs. Richard O. Malcomson that her parking time has expired. A regular visitor from Mt. Pleasant, Mrs. Malcomson got tired of accumulating parking tickets.

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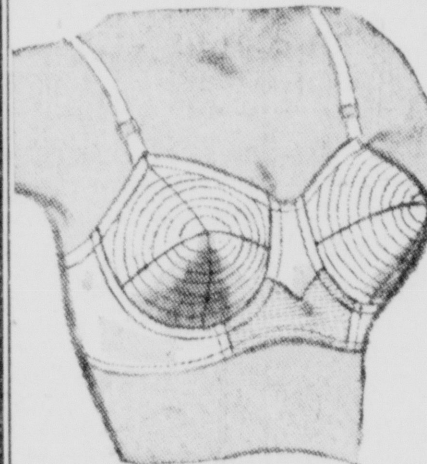
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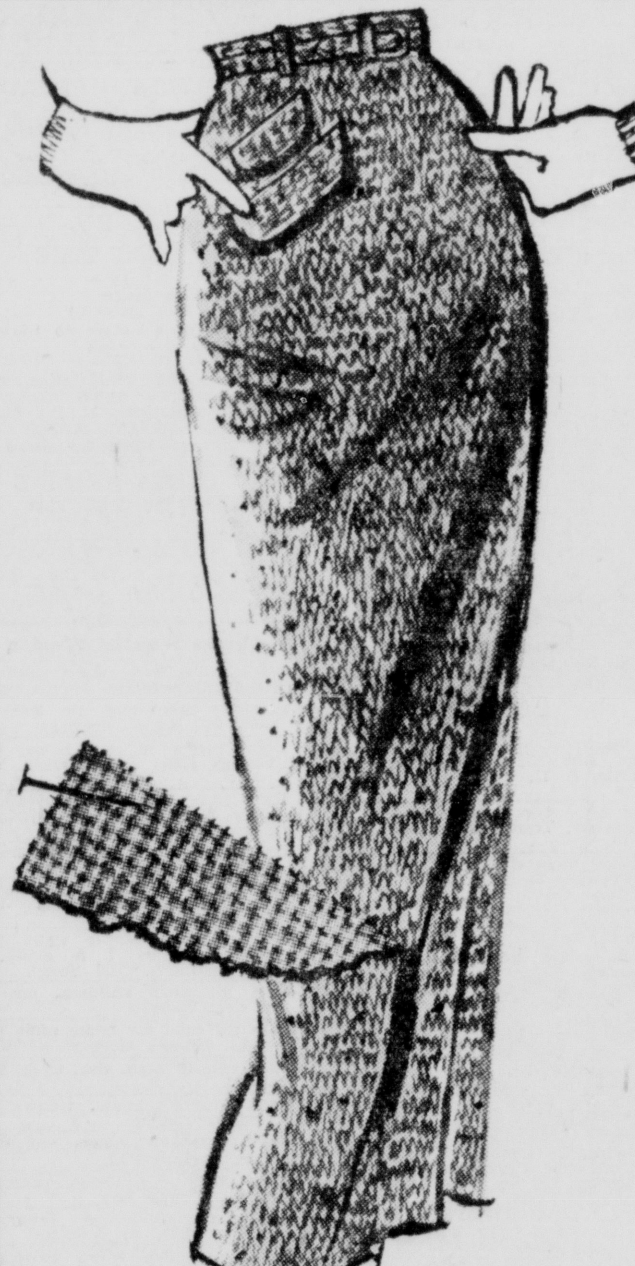
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✓ Check these fabrics

- Imported Tweeds
- Fine Flannels
- Smart Novelties

✓ Check these styles:

- Slim
- Flared
- Gored

Dark tones and pretty pastels are among colors available in these straight-from-stock skirts. Available in sizes 10 to 18.

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